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SPORTS

15,500 TEUTONS TAKEN IN ONE DAY BY THE RUSSIANS

2400 Germans Are Among
the Prisoners Captured in
the Course of Yesterday's
Battles—Officers Number
289.

Rumanians Occupy Important
Industrial Center in
Transylvania Near Kron-
stadt—Their Losses
Small.

Rumanian Warships at Ruman-
ian Black Sea Port—
Germans Gain in Five At-
tacks on Somme Front.

PETROGRAD, Sept. 1.—In the course
of battles yesterday on the western
Russian front, says the Russian official
statement of today, the Russians
captured 289 officers and 15,500 men. Of
this number 2400 were Germans.

The Russians also captured six
guns, 65 machine guns and seven
bomb throwers.

The official statement says:
"Western (Russian) front: During an
inspection of a position near the vil-
lage of Labusy, six miles southeast of
Korovinich, Divisional Commander
Major-General Nikitin was killed by a
bullet in the head."

"In the direction of Vladimir-Volyn-
sk, at Lokoche, stubborn fighting is
going on. The enemy is making fierce at-
tacks. In the region west of Cieskietz
fighting is also proceeding. In the re-
gion of the enemy aeroplanes
uninterrupted reconnaissance."
The direction of Hailu, in the re-
gion of the River Horovanka, fierce
fighting is going on.

"In the Carpathians in the region of
Munat Mountain our troops cap-
tured a whole series of heights."
The region of Dobruja, on the
border, we made a slight ad-
vance to the westward.

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sians captured 289 officers and 15,500
Germans. They also captured six
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**BULGARIANS DECLARE
WAR ON RUMANIA**

SOFIA, Sept. 1.—Bulgaria has de-
clared war on Rumania, according to
an announcement made at Sa-
sa forwarded by Reuter's cor-
respondent there.

Rumanians Occupy Important Town
in Transylvania.

HARVEST, via London, Sept. 1.—
Rumanian troops invading Transyl-
vania have occupied an important in-
dustrial center of Petrovsky and the
valley near Kronstadt, says
an announcement of the War Office.
Statement reads as follows:
"Our northern and northwestern
advance continues with suc-
cessful directions. Our armies occu-
pied the Petrovsky valley near
Kronstadt and the important in-
dustrial center of Petrovsky. Our losses
very slight."
"Our southern front, Hungarian
bombed Turnu Magureli."

"The center of a rich coal
field in the southern frontier of Tran-
sylvia just north of the Valoan
rough the Transylvania Alps.
Occupation of Tarlunge Valley in
the Rumanian army, extending
invasion of Transylvania."
Magureli and Zimnita are Ru-
manian frontier towns on the Danube

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UNSETTLED, WITHOUT MUCH CHANGE IN TEMPERATURE

THE TEMPERATURES.
8 a. m. 71 11 a. m. 69
1 p. m. 68 3 p. m. 67
5 p. m. 66 7 p. m. 65
10 a. m. 64 12 p. m. 63
Humidity at 7 a. m. today, 83 per
cent.

The average
temperature for
August was more
than 8 degrees
higher than the
average for Au-
gust of the year
before and 1.5
above the nor-
mal. The aver-
age for the month
just past was
78.7 degrees.
Temperature was
10 degrees or
15 degrees or above.
For August, 1915,
it was 70.4. The
normal is 77.2.

The highest was
95 degrees on
Aug. 4 and the
lowest was 55, on
Aug. 28. The highest in August,
1915, was 92 and the lowest was 52.
The total rainfall was 10.67 inches,
which was 8.35 above the normal. The
greatest in 24 hours was 2.88 on Aug.
24. The total for August, 1915, was 11.43.
The highest wind velocity was 52 miles,
on Aug. 20. There were thunderstorms
on 11 days.

Official forecast for St. Louis and
vicinity: Unsettled weather tonight
and tomorrow, probably with show-
ers; not much change in temperature.
Missouri—Unsettled weather tonight and
tomorrow, probably showers, except in ex-
treme northwest portion; somewhat cooler
in northwest portion tonight.
Illinois—Unsettled weather tonight and to-
morrow, probably showers; cooler tomorrow
in northwest portion.
Stages of the river, 5.5 feet, a fall of
1.5 of a foot.

**DON'T CARE ABOUT HIS \$150;
WANTS NAME OF "CUTE" GIRL**

Pittsburgh Man Who Loses Money on
Auto Race, Asks Police to Find
Timid Young Girl.

A well-dressed man, about 35 years
old, who walked into police headquar-
ters at 4 o'clock this morning, said that
he was Joseph Pullian, secretary to
Andrew Carnegie and stopping at the
Planters Hotel. He told of having been
on an auto ride during the evening with
a man and two girls.

One girl appeared timid, he said, and
insisted on getting out at Olive street
and Vandeventer avenue, and going
home. The man said, he discovered
he had lost \$150.

"I don't care about the money," he
said, "but I want you to get the name of
that cute little girl."

At the Planters a reporter found Joseph
Pullian of Pittsburgh, who ad-
mitted that he was the police headquar-
ters visitor. He said he was a confi-
dential agent for a Pittsburgh concern, and
did not care to discuss the affair.

**DISCOVERER OF KLONDIKE DIES
POOR—HE ONCE HAD \$100,000**

SEATTLE, Wash., Sept. 1.—Skookum
Jim Mackon, an Indian, who, with George
Carr, discovered the Klondike gold field, died in poverty re-
cently at Carcross, Yukon Territory. At
one time he had \$100,000 in gold. In Se-
attle he threw money from his hotel
window to see the crowds fight for it.

SUBMARINE CHASER LAUNCHED

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Sept. 1.—The
submarine chaser No. 1, owned by
James H. R. Cromwell, stepson of E. T.
Stotesbury, the banker, was launched
from the yards of the Essington Ship-
building Co. yesterday in the presence
of officers of the navy and prominent
men and women of society.

The vessel was built to serve the
double purpose of a pleasure craft and a
toe of submarines in time of war. As a
pleasure yacht she is luxuriously ap-
pointed. As a war vessel she is equipped
with wireless apparatus, one six-pound
gun, one one-pound gun and a machine
gun. She is 60 feet long.

**In Next
Sunday's Post-Dispatch**

Verdun After Six Months' Bom-
bardment.

A remarkable photograph made
from a French aeroplane showing
the fire-ravaged and shell-
pitted city as it looks today. It
is strikingly reproduced in the
POST-DISPATCH SECTION.

**The Boy Hero of the Jutland
Battle**

Thrilling story of the 15-year-
old British lad who stuck to his
ship through the Jutland sea bat-
tle though wounded unto death
and whose heroism was a sub-
ject of high commendation in
Admiral Beatty's report of the
fight.

**Missourian Famed as a Scholar
Abroad, Unknown at Home**

How a St. Louis antiquary, who
wrote to the British museum
for advice, was referred back to
this unknown man who lives
quite 40 minutes ride of the
inquirer's home.

'Kitchener's Mob'

First installment of a remark-
able book, telling the story of
how England's present great
army of 4,000,000 men was
created from the ragged and
starving material. The writer is one
of the mob. JAMES NORMAN
E. L. L.

**The True Story of the Battle of
the Marne**

Frank H. Simonds, for the first
time, tells the story of the
battle at the crucial moment
and how near this great allied
victory came to being a disas-
ter. Mr. Simonds recently won
over the entire battlefield and
his information was gathered
from men who fought there.

Order Your Copy Today.

'VISION' LED PRIEST TO DEMAND CASH FOR AUTO HE WON

Father Mele Had Given Prize
Car in Father Spigardi's
Raffle to Church.

LAWYER RICCARDI ADVISES
Assistant Demanded \$1700 From
the Pastor, Paid Attorney a
Fee and Disappeared.

As an outgrowth of the arrest of
Constantino Vincent Riccardi, the young
lawyer and beau brummel of the cabaret
cave circuit, come revelations about
the Rev. Father Caesar Spigardi's fa-
mous automobile raffles, in the after-
math of which Riccardi played a promi-
nent part.

For several years Father Spigardi has
conducted these raffles at a fair and
carnival given each year, usually at the
Coliseum, for the benefit of St. Charles
Borromeo's Church and School, Ewing
avenue and Locust street. The main
event has been the raffle for an auto-
mobile, and one year the priest raffled
a number of machines. Chances were
sold in saloons, cigar stands and of-
fice buildings. Even Italian fruit ped-
dlers in their daily visits through down-
town buildings offered chances for sale.

Assistant Won Auto.
The interesting developments in the
last raffle, at the Coliseum last winter,
were described by Father Spigardi him-
self to a Post-Dispatch reporter who
sought from him an explanation of
Riccardi's legal activities in connection
with the raffle. Father Spigardi said
it came about thus:

Mrs. Leggett Bell of 1457 Arlington
avenue sold 10 chances on the automo-
bile, a \$2000 Morris car, to Father Pas-
quale Mele, who was Father Spigardi's
young assistant in the Italian parish.
Father Mele paid \$1 for them. The auto-
mobile drawing was held, and it was
not until several days afterward that
Father Mele discovered, among his 10
tickets, the winning number.

Now it so happened that once before
a priest in Father Spigardi's parish had
held the lucky number and won an auto.
As the winner had the choice of taking
the machine itself or cash for the
amount of its cost, the priest took the
cash and generously donated the money
to the church.

Father Mele, upon discovering himself
in possession of the winning ticket, was
not to be outdone. He would follow
precedent. So he told Father Spigardi
to put the price of the machine, \$2000,
in the church and school funds. Then
Father Spigardi announced in the press
that the winner of the auto had declined
to accept it, and had donated it to the
church.

So far, bravo!

Asks \$1000 for Number.
But two days later Father Spigardi
was dumfounded when Father Mele de-
manded \$1000 for having held the win-
ning number. In the explanations that
followed Father Mele made the startling
assertion that on the previous night
"the shadow of his dead father" had vi-
sited him and advised him to ask \$1000
for the machine.

Father Spigardi protested and Father
Mele insisted. Finally Father Spigardi
took \$500 out of the carnival receipts and
gave it to his assistant. Next day
Father Spigardi gave \$500 more to Father
Mele.

Fourth Father Mele abandoned the pa-
rish house and never returned. Fa-
ther Spigardi investigated and learned
that his assistant was living at the Ho-
tel Jefferson, where he was the constant
companion of Lawyer Riccardi.

Then Father Spigardi's troubles
ended? A month elapsed. And then
the postman brought Father Spigardi a
letter. It was from Lawyer Riccardi,
demanding the priest that Father Mele
demanded \$1000 more; in other words he
wanted the entire \$2000 he had won.
Nothing was said in the letter about
additional visits from "the shadow of
Father Mele's father," but Father Spi-
gardi guessed the spiritual visitor must
have been here again.

Threatened to Sue.
Unless the money was paid at once
Riccardi would file suit. Father Spi-
gardi anxiously consulted John S.
Leahy, an attorney, who advised him
that Archbishop Gleason should be con-
sulted and that they should be guided
by the Archbishop's counsel. The Arch-
bishop insisted the affair must be set-
tled out of court.

The Archbishop advised Father Spi-
gardi to pay whatever sum Riccardi
and Father Mele wanted, so as not to create
a scandal.

Lawyer Riccardi was summoned by
Leahy and Father Spigardi. A compro-
mise was arranged whereby Father Spi-
gardi handed \$700 to Riccardi. This was
\$1700 paid out to the winner of the \$2000
auto. Father Mele immediately left the
city and his former associates here have
never heard from him or about him
since.

Later Riccardi told Father Spigardi
that he had kept \$350 of the compromise
payment as a fee. And in Father Spi-
gardi's annual financial statement to his
parishioners he lists the amount paid to
Father Mele as "expenses unforeseen
of the fair."

Father Spigardi was interpreter for a
number of Riccardi's Italian clients, who
have been complaining to the Circuit At-
torney about their transactions with
Riccardi, who is out on bond, charged
with embezzlement.

Tenant seeking is advertising work.
During the first seven months of 1916
the Post-Dispatch printed 4,000 Houses.

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KING OF GREECE IS REPORTED TO HAVE ABDICATED

Saloniki Dispatch Says Prince
George Takes Throne With
Venizelos Real Power.

DISTURBANCE IN SALONIKI
Greek Volunteers Attack Garri-
son and French Prevent
Serious Trouble.

By Associated Press.
LONDON, Sept. 1.—King Constantine of Greece has abdicated, accord-
ing to the British official press rep-
resentative at Saloniki, who says
the King has abdicated in favor of
the Crown Prince, with former Presi-
dent Venizelos as the power behind
the throne. The new policy, he re-
ports, will be to work with the en-
tente allies.

According to this information, Presi-
dent Zaimis will remain at the head
of the Government.

The correspondent questions
whether the entente allies desire the
active assistance of Greece.

The correspondent at Saloniki of
Reuter's Telegram Co., under date of
Wednesday, also sends the report that
King Constantine of Greece has abdi-
cated, adding: "Pending confirmation
it must be mentioned with all reserve."
The correspondent says the report is
that the King has abdicated, that the
Greek Crown Prince has been appointed
regent and that Alexander Zaimis, sup-
ported by ex-Premier Venizelos, retains
the premiership. This dispatch adds
that the general mobilization of the
Greek army has once more been or-
dered.

Disturbances at Saloniki.
The beginning of a revolution in
Macedonia is reported in a Reuter
dispatch yesterday at Saloniki. Fight-
ing occurred in Saloniki, the correspon-
dent adds, but serious trouble was
prevented by the intervention of sol-
diers of the entente allies.

The revolution claimed its first
victim at 4:30 o'clock this morning.
The correspondent cables: "Cres-
tans gendarmes and Macedonian vol-
unteers surrounded the barracks of
the Greek infantry in Saloniki and
exchanged shots with the garrison.
But for the intervention of the allies
the consequences might have been
more serious."

"After half promising to partici-
pate in a demonstration arranged
yesterday by a pro-ally committee,
the Greek troops finally refused.
During the night pro-ally volunteers
made a determined attempt to seize
the barracks, but failed. It is as-
serted one gendarme was killed, and
that two were wounded. The losses
of the Royalists have not been as-
certained."

Another dispatch to Reuter's Tele-
gram Co. says that when the volunteers
ascertained the regulars were unwilling
to co-operate with them they surround-
ed the barracks in the night, cut the
water main and electric light wires and
shut off food supplies.

A detachment of 60 regulars attempted
to break its way out to obtain supplies.
Its surrender was demanded and when
the regulars refused, the volunteers
fired shots in the air. The regulars re-
plied with a volley, whereupon the vol-
unteers opened fire on them, compelling
them to return to the barracks.

The allied commander, Gen. Sarraill,
intervened to prevent further bloodshed.
Altogether, according to the latest re-
ports, three men were killed and one
gendarme and two volunteers were
wounded.

Men Will Join Revolution.
The soldiers refused to treat with the
revolutionists, but accepted allied medi-
ation. It was agreed that the soldiers
should be disarmed and interned at
Camp Zettinlek, outside the city. The
officers were permitted to retain their
swords, pledging themselves not to in-
terfere with the revolutionists. The bar-
racks were handed over to the French.
It is understood a number of the offi-
cers and a considerable proportion of the
movement and will now join it.

It also is reported that the entire gar-
rison at Vodana went over to the com-
mittee representing the revolutionists.
The garrison at Fort Little Karaburun re-
fused to recognize the committee, where-
upon revolutionists surrounded the fort.
After news had been received of the
submission of the Saloniki garrison the
regulars at Little Karaburun yielded.

All opposition to the revolutionary
committee in the affected portion of
Macedonia appears to have vanished.
The committee will now take over the
functions of Government and is ex-
pected to proclaim a general mobilization.
Prompt action by the French command-
er, who detailed a strong escort to pro-
tect the Saloniki garrison and marched
to the city and the effect of clearing the at-
mosphere.

It is reported from Greek sources at
Saloniki that the entire force of about
3000 men under Col. Chlitolofoulou, which
left Saloniki several days ago to resist the
Bulgarian invasion of Macedonia, has
been captured by the Bulgarians.

The part of Greek Macedonia in which
the forces mentioned are in Northern
Greece, close behind the front on which
the entente allies are fighting the Bul-
garians and their allies. Vodana is on
the railroad line between Saloniki and
Monastir, an important means of com-
munication for the entente allies. It is

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Greek Prince in Whose Favor King Is Said to Have Abdicated



CROWN PRINCE GEORGE.

ADAMSON 8-HOUR BILL ASSAILED BY RAILWAY LAWYERS

Measure Is Called Unconstitu-
tional, Confiscatory and
Class Legislation.

CHICAGO, Sept. 1.—Counsel for the
various railroads centering here are
said to have informed the presidents of
the roads that the Adamson eight-hour
bill is patently unconstitutional as be-
ing confiscatory and class legislation.

E. P. Ripley, president of the Atchaf-
son, Topeka & Santa Fe said today
passage of the bill would merely post-
pone the strike.

"Our lawyers," said Mr. Ripley, "in-
formally and individually have expressed
the opinion that the Adamson bill, if
passed, will 'crumble at the first legal
blast.' If the bill passes the presidents
and counsel will confer formally as to
legal procedure. It is illogical to as-
sume that the railroads will abandon
their principles merely because they are
attacked through Congress instead of
directly by the 'brotherhoods.'"

R. H. Ashton, president of the Chicago
& Northwestern said that the railroads
would obey the law.

"But," he added, "it seems certain
to us that the Adamson bill, if passed,
will not stand the test of the courts.
Obviously, if Congress could compel us
to pay a certain scale of wages for eight

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PRESIDENT SIGNS CHILD LABOR BILL "WITH GENUINE PRIDE"

He Tells Those Present That It Is
With Emotion That He Affixes
His Signature.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 1.—President
Wilson today signed the child labor
bill. The ceremony was witnessed by
Secretary Wilson, Senator Robinson,
Representative Keating, Julia Lathrop,
Chief of the Children's Bureau of the
Labor Department, and a group of men
and women interested in the legislation.
"I want to say that with real emo-
tion I sign this bill," the President
said, "because I know how long the
struggle has been to secure legislation
of this sort and what it is to mean
to the health and the vigor of the
country and also to the happiness of
those whom it affects. It is with
genuine pride that I play my part in
completing this legislation. I congrat-
ulate the country and felicitate my-
self."

WOMAN IS HELD FOR FORGERIES

NEW YORK, Sept. 1.—Miss Henriette
Michaelis, 40, is held in default of \$5,
000 bail for forgeries amounting to \$75,
000 against the American Rattan and
Reed Manufacturing Co. of Greenpoint.
Miss Michaelis had been with the com-
pany for 23 years, was secretary and
had entire charge of the payroll. Last
April accountants were called in and
Miss Michaelis resigned in May. Dis-
trict Attorney said a former attorney
for the woman had offered restitution
of \$20,000 to the company but her pre-
sent attorney said he knew nothing of
such an offer.

Free Band Concert Tonight.

Poeppinger's Band at St. Louis Square,
7 to 9:30 o'clock.
Municipal Dance Tonight.
At Gamble Park, 8:30 to 11:30 o'clock.

SENATE COMMITTEE APPROVES REGULATION OF RAILROAD WAGES

Eight-Hour Bill Favorably Reported
Providing Commerce Commis-
sion Fix Men's Pay.

HOUSE TO VOTE AT 4:30;
SENATE PROBABLY TONIGHT

President Sees Leaders at Capitol and Later Gar-
retson Calls on Him at White House—
"Keeping the Threads To-
gether," Executive Says.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 1.—Bills to avert the railway strike
actually were put on their way to passage today in both houses
of Congress.

Under a special rule providing for a vote not later than 4:30
this afternoon the House took up the Adamson eight-hour day bill
approved by President Wilson and accepted by brotherhood lead-
ers as a "satisfactory settlement."

The Senate Interstate Commerce Committee reported a similar
bill, which, however, contains an important provision empowering
the Interstate Commerce Commission to fix schedules of wages on
interstate railways. It provides that the eight-hour day shall be-
come effective Jan. 1, 1917; that the present pay for the ten-hour
day shall apply to the shorter day; that overtime shall be paid pro
rata, but adds that within not less than six and not more than
twelve months after its passage the Interstate Commerce Commis-
sion shall assume jurisdiction of the question of hours and wages,
and that they shall be subject to petition for change from either
the employers, the employees or the public.

Senator Newlands introduced the re-
vised Senate bill and at 2 o'clock it
was formally referred to the Interstate
Commerce Committee. Newlands said
he would seek to hold the Senate in ses-
sion until the whole subject was dis-
posed of, even if it should extend the
session far into the night.

Senate Debate Opens.
Senator Newlands made a favorable
report from the committee at 2:30 o'clock
and unanimous consent was granted by
the Senate for immediate consideration.
Senator Newlands opened the discussion.
He called special attention to a pro-
vision of the bill added after the origi-
nal draft had been submitted, which
would declare any person who will-
fully delays, obstructs or hinders op-
eration of trains, guilty of a misdemeanor
to be punished by a fine not exceeding
\$500 and imprisonment not exceeding
one year, or both.

Text of Wage Provision.
The text of the wage provision is as
follows:
"That the Interstate Commerce Com-
mission shall have the power to fix the
hours of labor and prescribe just and
reasonable wages for all employees of
the railroads. . . . The rate of wages
and the hours of labor provided for in
this act shall remain in effect for service
until changed by the decision of the
Interstate Commerce Commission
which within a period of not less
than six nor more than 12 months from
the passage of this act, shall determine
what are just and reasonable wages
and what shall be the hours of labor
for employees of the railroads, above
mentioned."

"The Interstate Commerce Com-
mission shall have the power from time
to time to change the hours of labor and
the rate of wages for all employees of
the railroads . . . either in whole or
in part, prescribed by it on its own in-
itiative, on the petition of the employ-
ees, the managers of the railroads or the
public."

The possibility for a hitch seemed to
be in this added provision which is be-
ing studied by the brotherhood leaders.
The committee eliminated the proposi-
tion on the report of the eight-hour day
committee. The Interstate Commerce
Commission "shall consider an increase
of freight rates to meet such additional
expenditures by the railroads affected
as may have been rendered necessary
by the adoption of the eight-hour day."

Neither of the two pending bills con-
tains the Canadian commission plan
which the labor leaders oppose, and
neither contains the Government opera-
tion provision. President Wilson is will-
ing to let those features wait until after
enough legislation to avert the strike has
been enacted.

There were indications this afternoon
that the labor leaders would fight the
proposal to empower the Interstate
Commerce Commission to govern wages
as the Senate bill proposes, but would
probably accept it if they saw Congress
was determined to include it in the
bill.

The time for passage of the bills is so
short that a filibuster might seriously
interfere with the program. Represen-

House to Pass Bill After 5 P. M.
Meanwhile the Rules Committee
held a meeting and without any
changes favorably reported the Kilch-
in rule providing for two hours of
general debate on the bill and a vote
on the bill and any amendments in the
House at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon

ident down, as well as rate increases. His said he has no reason why the commission should not consider the added burden put on the carriers by the eight-hour day bill in considering requests for advanced freight rates.

Adamsón 8-Hour Railway Bill Called Up in House

Representative Bennet (Rep.) Leads in Attack on Measure, and Cooper (Rep.) Declares Men Will Call Off Strike if Measure Is Passed by Congress Before Sunday.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 1.—Democrat Leader Kitchin called up the Adamsón bill, establishing an eight-hour day for trainmen on railway in interstate commerce, soon after the House met at 11 a. m. today.

"I ask unanimous consent for its immediate consideration," said he.

"Object," said Republican Leader Mann.

Representative Harrison, Democrat, then offered the special rule and there was discussion on that. Harrison said Congress, in the interest of the American people, ought to pass this bill by Saturday night and avert the strike.

Representative Cooper, Republican, denounced the proposed legislation.

"There are worse things than strikes," said Bennet, "and one of those things is the destruction of the American system of Government."

"I don't propose to cast my vote with a pistol at my head."

Representative Cooper of Ohio, Republican, denied that labor was holding up Congress as Bennet charged.

"It was not the railroad men who asked this legislation," he said. "They do say, however, that if this House passes this bill today and the Senate passes it tomorrow, they will have the power to call off the strike."

Congress Never Tried to Fix Wages.

Congress never has enacted any legislation seeking to fix wages. The rate of compensation for employees engaged on public works is not fixed by Congress, but only the hours of labor. These are limited by law to eight each day.

Under the commerce and taxation clauses of the Constitution Congress frequently has prohibited certain kinds of employment. The recent child labor act forbids the shipment of goods in interstate commerce made by employees under a certain age. A prohibitive law was imposed on phosphate matches because those persons making them were afflicted with a disease incident to the materials utilized.

Representatives Caldwell of New York, Borah of Missouri and Raker of California, Democrats, urged a strong vote in favor of the bill.

Republicans for Bill.

Representative Lenroot of Wisconsin, Republican, amid applause on the Democratic side, announced he expected to vote in favor of the bill.

THREAT OF STRIKE STOPS PURCHASE OF WAR HORSES

United States, England, France and Belgium Had Been Inspecting 2000 Horses in France.

The purchase of war horses by the United States, British, French and Belgian Governments, at the National Stockyards, was discontinued today, after the railroads had announced they would not accept stock which could not be delivered before the time set for the strike.

The four countries have been inspecting about 2000 horses a day at the yards.

The United States contract with the Holland-Maxwell Commission Co. provides for 15,000 horses by Dec. 31, only 600 of which have been delivered. An official of the company said the Government would allow for such hindrance.

C. A. STIX CRITICALLY ILL

President of Dry Goods Company in Chicago Hospital.

Charles A. Stix of Portland, president of the Stix, Baer & Fuller Dry Goods Co., is critically ill at the Michael Reese Hospital in Chicago. He is suffering from an intestinal trouble and has been under radical treatment.

Stix has been in Chicago for many weeks undergoing treatment. His family is at the Chicago Beach Hotel.

Ship Sale to France Enjoined.

CHICAGO, Sept. 1.—Federal Judge Landis has permanently enjoined the Great Lakes and St. Lawrence Transportation Co. from selling its nine ships to France.

The injunction was obtained by the Scranton Coal Co. that had a contract with the transportation company.

Text of Eight-Hour Bill Which Is Designed to Prevent Strike

WASHINGTON, Sept. 1.

Section 1. That beginning Dec. 1, 1916, eight hours shall, in contracts for labor and service, be deemed a day's work and the measure or standard of a day's work for the purpose of reckoning the compensation for service of all employees who are now or may hereafter be employed by any railroad which is subject to the provisions of the act of Feb. 1, 1887, 'an act to regulate commerce' as amended, and who are now or may hereafter be actually engaged in any capacity in the operation of trains used for the transportation of persons or property on railroads, from any state or territory of the United States or the District of Columbia, or from one place in a territory to another place in the same territory, or from any place in the United States to any other place in the United States through a foreign country or from any place in the United States to any other place in the United States.

Section 2.—That the President shall appoint a commission of three, which shall observe the operation and effect of the institution of the eight-hour standard work day as above defined and the facts and conditions affecting the relations between such common carriers and employees during a period of not less than six months nor more than nine months in the discretion of the commission and within 30 days thereafter such commission shall report its findings to the President and Congress.

Each member of the commission created under the provisions of this act shall receive such compensation as may be fixed by the President. The sum of \$25,000 or so much thereof as may be necessary be and hereby is appropriated out of any money in the United States Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to be immediately available until the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 1917, for the necessary and proper expenses incurred in connection with the work of such commission, including salaries per diem, traveling, expenses of members and employees and rent, furniture, office fixtures and supplies, books and other necessary expenses, the amount to be approved by the chairman of said commission and audited by the general accounting officers of the treasury.

Section 3.—That pending the report of the commission herein provided for, and for a period of 30 days thereafter, the compensation of railway employees subject to this act for a standard eight-hour workday shall not be reduced below the standard five-day's work for all employees in excess of eight hours such employees shall be paid at a rate not less than the pro rata rate for such standard eight-hour workday.

Section 4.—That any person violating any provision of this act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be fined not less than \$100 and not more than \$1000, or imprisoned not more than one year, or both.

Adamson 8-Hour Bill Assailed by Railway Lawyers

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hours work it would compel us to pay the same scale for six hours, or four hours."

Statement by Railroads.

A statement was issued at publicity headquarters of the railroads that preparation for a strike next Sunday were proceeding without regard to prospects of congressional action.

Following is the text of the statement:

"The managements of the railroads are disregarding reports from Washington regarding the possibility of the strike being prevented and are proceeding exactly as they would if they were certain that it was going to occur on scheduled time at 1 o'clock on the morning of Sept. 4.

"The railroads are proceeding in this manner for the protection of the public as well as their own, and the public for its own protection should proceed in exactly the same manner until the order for a strike has been formally revoked.

"It will be recalled for about eight months the railway managements have been warning the Government and the people of the United States of the danger of a nationwide strike was real and serious. On the other hand, soothing assurances have been given by officers of the United States Government and even by spokesmen of the railroads, that the strike was right and that the danger was real and serious and that the spokesmen of the Government who attempted to minimize the gravity of the situation, were wrong.

"The leaders of the railway brotherhoods are playing a desperate game and, as they say now that they will not recall their strike order until they win from Congress the legislation they demand, for anybody to act on the assumption that there will be no strike would be foolish and might prove to be extremely unfortunate."

Embargoes Going Into Effect.

"The orders which the managements of the railroads have issued placing embargoes on the shipment of most kinds of freight and directing that other kinds of freight shall be accepted subject to delay, are rapidly going into effect, and shippers and the public are beginning to feel the results of the strike without it having actually occurred.

"It should be fully recognized, however, that the railroads in taking these steps, are not merely protecting their own interests, but that in a larger measure, they are protecting the interests of the public, and that if they are causing inconvenience and loss to the public, they are causing greater proportionate loss and inconvenience to themselves.

"If the strike occurs it will be much better for all concerned for goods, which in the absence of embargoes, would be shipped, to be left in the hands of their owners where they can properly care for them, than for them to be in the hands of the railroads, which probably could not properly care for them.

"It is to be hoped that travelers as well as shippers will act on the warning of the railroads, and not start upon journeys which cannot be finished before the strike goes into effect.

"The railroads believe that in standing out for arbitration, even at the cost of a strike, they have been trying to protect, not only their own interests, but those of the public."

The statement goes on to say that the railroads believe they have the support of the public in the attitude they have assumed, and that in the event of a strike they will operate their trains as largely as they are able.

Employment agencies are busy hiring men for the railroad companies, and advertisements appeared in newspapers in many cities for experienced engineers, conductors, brakemen, firemen and switchmen.

The embargo on freight announced yesterday by every true line in the country was not materially changed today, with the exception of the Atchafalaya, Topeka & Santa Fe, which modified the embargo on perishable freight. Instructions went out from the general offices at Topeka, Kan., last night to accept shipments of merchandise to arrive at their destination later than Sunday. Livestock shipments are excepted from the new order.

Officials in Daily Conference.

Presidents and vice presidents of 23 railroads with terminals in Chicago have held daily meetings here for several days, and it is announced that these conferences will be continued indefinitely.

The Illinois Manufacturers' Association have sent telegrams to members of Congress, urging them against "being cajoled into any rash legislation."

The telegrams ask: "Is Congress running the country or has it been delegated to the four brotherhood chiefs?"

President Is on the Way to Long Branch for Notification

Leaves Washington for Summer White House of Ceremonies Tomorrow.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 1.—President Wilson left Washington this afternoon for the summer White House, Shadow Lawn, at Long Branch, N. J., where he will be formally notified tomorrow of his nomination. He expects to arrive at West End Station at 8:40 o'clock tonight and will be met there by a large delegation of residents of Long Branch. Mrs. Wilson, Secretary Tumulty, Dr. C. T. Grayson and a large force of clerks accompanied the President.

Before the notification ceremonies at 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon the President will entertain at lunch the Notification Committee, the Democratic National Committee and members of his Cabinet and of the Senate and House.

Leaving Long Branch tomorrow night, President Wilson expects to arrive in Washington early Sunday morning, say here this morning and then depart for Hodgenville, Ky., where on Monday he will accept the birthplace of Abraham Lincoln for the nation.

See us on our special low price offer on refrigerators and gas ranges. Geller, Ward & Hasner Hdw. Co., 412-414 N. 4th.

Guests Fly to a Luncheon

NEW YORK, Sept. 1.—Guests flew in hydroaeroplanes yesterday to attend an entertainment luncheon given by the Harlem Board of Trade to members of the New York Flying Yacht Club.

Those who flew to the luncheon were E. H. Kendrick of Atlantic City, Lawrence B. Sperry, inventor of the gyroscopic stabilizer, who came from Amityville, N. Y., and David McCullough, who flew from Port Washington, N. Y.

Record-Breaking Is a Habit With the Post-Dispatch

Yesterday (Thursday) the POST-DISPATCH broke all August week-day records in its history in volume of paid advertising carried—which, of course, means all St. Louis records. Yesterday's new record was:

130 Cols.

In Home Merchants' Advertising The POST-DISPATCH was again supreme in its field with 85 Cols.

while its 3 nearest competitors carried but 54 Cols. Combined

In other words our enterprising local merchants "thought" 81 columns more of the POST-DISPATCH than they did of its 3 nearest competitors added together.

Why?

A quality circulation that brings all of the worth-while buyers to the merchants' stores.

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Public Will Pay for Settlement, if Reached, A. B. Garretson Declares.

HEARING LASTS 9 HOURS

Garretson Says He Can Postpone Walkout, but Fears to Be Called Traitor.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 1.—Representatives of the railroads, of the trainmen's brotherhoods and of shippers' organizations argued for nine hours yesterday before the Senate Interstate Commerce Committee on legislation proposed to avert the threatened strike.

All sides apparently were more or less satisfied with the hearing which had given them an opportunity to lay their cases before the public.

A dramatic scene, in which — B. Garretson, spokesman for the trainmen and president of the Order of Railway Conductors, was the central figure, brought the hearing to a climax last night shortly before the taking of testimony closed.

Throughout the day members of the committee at different times had asked the four brotherhood heads if they were prepared to stop the strike save by reporting a satisfactory settlement to the men. The question invariably was evaded, the replies being that Garretson would explain the situation before the hearing closed.

Keeps Crowd Laughing.

For almost an hour Garretson kept the crowd laughing with quaint expressions and humorous stories. When he had only three minutes left in which to speak, his brother president urged him to answer the question of power to post a strike. He suddenly became serious, stood erect, gazed at the ceiling for a moment and then began to speak. "We have been asked," he said slowly, "if we have the power to defer this strike. It has been called for next Monday. I have the power to defer this date in my organization, but in the other organizations the situation is different. The heads of the other brotherhoods cannot call back the strike order."

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45 miles west of Saloniki. Fort Little Karaburun is on the Gulf of Saloniki, about 10 miles south of the city.

Crown Prince George of Greece, whose accession to the throne is reported, has been described as a man of liberal mind, in true sympathy with the aspirations of the Greek people. It has been assumed that if King Constantine's policy of non-interference in the war should lead to his disappearance from power the Crown Prince would be the man to whom the pro-entente party would turn.

Prince George was born July 19, 1890. He is unmarried. His engagement to Princess Elisabeth of Rumania was announced in 1914, but owing to the war the wedding was postponed.

The Crown Prince has kept in the background during the war. When he enters troops landed at Saloniki last year the King sent the Crown Prince to take charge of the Greek forces there. It was reported several months ago that the Prince had been sent on a mission to the German and Austrian Emperors.

15,500 Teutons Taken in One Day by the Russians

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or eastern section of Rumania. It has been announced that Russian troops have begun marching through Dobruja.

Gerard to Take Over Rumanian Diplomatic Affairs in Berlin.

BERLIN, via London, Sept. 1.—The American Ambassador, James W. Gerard, has received instruction to take over the protection of Rumanian interests, if agreeable to Germany. This is considered certain.

The Rumanian Minister, Dr. Beldiman, although his passports were issued two days ago, apparently is in no hurry to quit Berlin. It is understood that he will not return to Rumania, but will reside in Denmark, where he has purchased a house. He thereby will become a member of a little colony of diplomats in exile there, who prefer to live in quiet obscurity, far from the centers of political activities until the war has ceased and new conditions are determined.

Prince Leopold of Bavaria Commanding Germans on East Front.

BERLIN, via London, Sept. 1.—German troops on the Somme front in France yesterday as the result of a counter attack, says the official statement issued today by the army headquarters staff, regained the ground they previously lost near Longueval and Delville Wood.

In today's official German statement Prince Leopold of Bavaria appears as the director of the German armies on the Russian front, which had been controlled by Field Marshal von Hindenburg before he was appointed chief of the Imperial general staff.

HOUSEWIVES STORE GROCERIES IN FEAR OF RAILWAY STRIKE

Merchants Working Day and Night to Deliver Orders Placed in Last Few Days.

St. Louis people are buying great quantities of groceries and other provisions in fear of a railroad strike. Grocers say they are busier than ever before. In many instances supplies are being purchased in wholesale quantities.

Canned goods have the call, because nearly everything of a perishable nature is canned, and can be stored in the cellar.

The manager of one grocery firm, with stores all over town, said it would be a week before delivery could be completed of orders that have been received. The manager of another large firm said they were keeping up on their deliveries only by working day and night.

Noted Theologian Dies.

PITTSBURG, Sept. 1.—The Rev. Dr. Matthew Henry Riddle, aged 86, one of the best known theologians of the Reformed Church, is dead at his home here. He was editor, translator and author of more than a score of volumes recognized as theological commentaries.

WHITE WOMAN, BEATEN BY NEGRO ROOMING HOUSE, DIES

Declared Negro Knew Her Name, Struck and Kicked Her. Mrs. Marie, or Beulah, a white woman who was known to the police as an associate of a negro man, was beaten yesterday afternoon in a rooming house at 817 North Ninth street. A negro known as "Sonny," who was accused of having beaten her, is sought by the police.

Charles Wilson, a negro living at the Ninth street house, told a policeman, at 5 o'clock, that "Sonny" had attacked him in his room.

Mrs. Jacobs was found, her jaw, nose and several ribs were fractured. She said she lived at 238 Washington avenue and that when she called at the Ninth street house to get washing she had left with a negro named "Sonny" dragged her to the room where he beat and kicked her.

When Wilson was questioned again, he said the woman had been at his room most of the day, and that he and "Sonny" quarreled about her. At the Washington avenue house it was said Mrs. Jacobs had not been there for several weeks, although her trunk is there. Her husband, Charles Jacobs, who formerly ran a lunchstand at 317 North Leffingwell avenue, is said to have gone to Chicago last week.

ESTATE OF ANNA BUSCH INVENTORIED AT \$402,475

\$253,375 in Cash Is Held by Anheuser-Busch Brewing Association.

Newell's List Shows.

An inventory of the estate of Mrs. Anna Busch, sister-in-law of the late Adolphus Busch, was filed in the Probate Court today by Public Administrator James F. Newell. It shows a total of \$402,475.44, of which \$253,375.44 is cash in the custody of the Anheuser-Busch Brewing Association. The balance is made up of 17 shares of stock of the South Side Bank of the city, valued at \$100 a share, 30 shares of the St. Louis Refrigerating Car Co., par value \$100 a share, and 23 shares of the Anheuser-Busch Brewing Association, par value \$200 a share.

The assets are in the keeping of the Anheuser-Busch Brewing Association. Mrs. Busch died April 8 in California. Her will was brought from Germany and filed in Chicago. It divided her property among her five children. The Public Administrator filed on the estate on Aug. 3 Edward A. Busch and Sidney U. Busch, son and grandson respectively of Mrs. Busch, petitioned the Probate Court to appoint them in place of Newell.

THREE MEN ARE KILLED WHEN AMMONIA IN MARKET EXPLODES

100 Gallons Released and Refrigerating Plant Is Wrecked in Kansas City.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Sept. 1.—Three men are dead and a fourth is in a critical condition as the result of an ammonia explosion in a downtown meat market here today. More than 100 gallons of ammonia were released when the explosion, the cause of which was unknown, completely wrecked the private refrigerating plant. The dead are G. W. E. Neuer, one of the owners of the market, Al Edwards and Michael Yehl, engineers. Ernest Neuer, another one of the owners, may die.

Employees on the main floor of the building, above the basement in which the plant was located, were caught in the flames and several had narrow escapes from being overcome. Firemen in gas helmets penetrated the plant.

INTERNES COMPLAIN OF FOOD

The internes of the city hospital will hold an indignation meeting in their quarters this afternoon to voice a grievance against the food and crowded condition of their living quarters. The internes complain that there is no variety in the food and that some of it is unpalatable.

J. A. Fringle, superintendent of the hospital, said that no official protest had reached him and that there was no basis for the complaints. He said that the food was of good quality and sufficient variety. "I eat it myself," he said.

Make Mr. Hughes Answer

WHEN Candidate Hughes speaks tomorrow he will be confronted with a quarter page advertisement in this newspaper, containing an open letter to the foremost publicists and literary the United States.

It asks ten questions pertaining vital issues of the 1916 Presidential campaign.

These questions were hurled at Hughes the day following his acceptance and have been repeated in page advertisements in every newspaper city in which he has spoken today, but not once has he answered them.

He tried to answer one at Fargo, N. D., but failed, and at Fargo, N. D., confessed that though he criticized his panacea.

Yet he asks your vote!

Make Him Answer Here in St. Louis

SEVERE Penalties Provided for Sale or Use of Intoxicants.

BUCHANAN, Sept. 1.—The police commissioners have forbidden the sale and consumption of alcoholic liquors in all establishments in Buchanan, under penalty of severe punishment.

FIRST MISSOURI REGIMENT STRIKES TENTS AT LAREDO

Indications Are That St. Louis Soldiers Will Start for Nevada Camp Today.

LAREDO, Tex., Sept. 1.—The Third Missouri Infantry regiment of Kansas City entrained for Nevada this morning and the First Regiment of St. Louis began striking tents at 10 a. m. The first will entrain during the day as soon as enough cars can be obtained.

The feeling is general here that the ordering home of the two regiments is the beginning of the end of service on the border. Word was received from the War Department that the troops are not being sent home for strike duty and the best informed officers think they will be mustered out soon after they reach the State mobilization camp. Other evidences which point to early mustering out of State troops are the cancelling of the orders permitting students and married men discharged.

Inquiry by heads of universities and colleges is said to have elicited from the War Department the information that the soldiers probably will be back at their home stations before Oct. 1.

The Second Missouri Regiment, on the rifle range, will be ordered to river patrol work Monday. The First Regiment had orders to relieve a Maine regiment of that duty Monday. The Fourth Regiment will follow the second on the rifle range to spend a week.

Attorney Patterson Resigns.

The resignation of A. Z. Patterson, chief counsel of the Missouri Public Service Commission, as First Lieutenant in the Missouri National Guard, was received at the headquarters of the Second Regiment today. Patterson's resignation follows a ruling by Attorney General Barker last week that he could not draw his salary of \$75 a month from the State while drawing \$180 from the United States Government for service in the guard.

Patterson formerly was private secretary to Gov. Major, and was appointed Judge Advocate General of the Missouri National Guard, with the rank of Major. The new military law abolished the office of Judge Advocate-General with a number of other staff jobs. Patterson expressed desire to go to the border, and was appointed First Lieutenant and Battalion Adjutant of the Second Regiment, but was detailed to act as aide-de-camp to Brigadier-General Harvey C. Clark. He departed Jefferson City last week on a furlough, and his resignation was accepted.

R. C. KERENS HAS WEAKER DURING TOUR

St. Louisans Rallyed, but Patterson Resigns.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 1.—Today physicians considered the condition of Richard C. Kerens of Philadelphia as critical. He is the son of his daughter, Mrs. G. H. Kerens, who has been since Jan. 12, 1915, suffering from intestinal trouble.

When Mrs. Colker was seen this afternoon she said that there was nothing to worry about, but that she was brought a light ray of hope only to be followed by a ray of gloom. Mrs. Colker said that there was little to expect.

Big Sugar Dividend.

HONOLULU, T. H., Sept. 1.—Hawaii sugar corporations will distribute further dividends to \$205,750. The dividends paid during August aggregated \$1,000,000.

ADVERTISING

Make Mr. Hughes Answer

WHEN Candidate Hughes speaks tomorrow he will be confronted with a quarter page advertisement in this newspaper, containing an open letter to the foremost publicists and literary the United States.

It asks ten questions pertaining vital issues of the 1916 Presidential campaign.

These questions were hurled at Hughes the day following his acceptance and have been repeated in page advertisements in every newspaper city in which he has spoken today, but not once has he answered them.

He tried to answer one at Fargo, N. D., but failed, and at Fargo, N. D., confessed that though he criticized his panacea.

Yet he asks your vote!

Make Him Answer Here in St. Louis

SEVERE Penalties Provided for Sale or Use of Intoxicants.

BUCHANAN, Sept. 1.—The police commissioners have forbidden the sale and consumption of alcoholic liquors in all establishments in Buchanan, under penalty of severe punishment.

Garland's

SATURDAY—

Ready With School Apparel in Our Girls' Dept.

Second Floor

Open All Day, and we've made unusual preparations to supply the small girl, 6 to 14, and the high school junior and college miss with the wearables most needed, and at prices which "spell" economy.



Class-Room Serge Dresses for Juniors and Misses

\$6.95 \$10 and \$15

Dresses suited for class room and informal afternoon wear. Smart, jaunty regulation Frocks of fine navy serge, with red or white braid and emblem and sailor collar. Full flare model, very stylish, and as practical as stylish.

Girls' Regulation Dresses, 6 to 14

Made with all the care as those for her larger sister—specially priced for Saturday,

\$2.98 to \$10.00

Girls' Wash Dresses (6 to 14 Years)

Special **\$1.00 and \$1.98** at 3 as pictured above.

Wonderful values at either price. Charmingly made of ginghams and chambrays, in plaids, in various color combinations; also solid tans and blue, daintily trimmed with lace, embroidery and buttons.

Girls' Coats Reduced

We have 47 Coats that are ideal for the first two or three months of school. They are made of chevrons, serges and mixtures, belted and cape effects. Some half silk lined. They were formerly priced up to \$12.50. Choice Saturday (6 to 14 years),

\$4.95

August Fur Sale

Extended Until Monday Noon

One more day and a half, only, will you have an opportunity to buy

Furs at Savings of 15 to 35%

Red Fox Sets Special

Regular \$25.00 Matched Red Fox Sets, rich, natural colors, animal scarfs and trimmed barrel muff, special at **\$18.50**

Distinctive Fall Blouses

\$2.95

Fine Georgette, Crepe de Chine and Taffeta Silks—Special Saturday



THOMAS W. GARLAND—409-11-13 Broadway

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Denounces Withdrawal of U. S. Ships From Tampico.

"At Tampico there was a general movement of attack by the Mexicans on Americans and other foreigners. We had a squadron of American warships in the neighborhood. The Wilson administration declined to permit this squadron to be used to defend the lives of American men, and the honor of American women, and the commanders of the German and English ships at Tampico had to step in and perform the task our representative had so basely abandoned. At the very time that the Mexican mob had surrounded the building in which the Americans had taken refuge, and was howling for their blood, the American fleet, in spite of the protests of the American naval commander, and in accordance with wireless orders from Washington, was forced to steam out of the harbor and leave the Americans to be massacred by the Mexicans, or rescued by the Germans and English. The case has been set forth in full, and without successful contradiction, by an expert in naval matters, Mr. Reuter, I wish to say with all gravity and in all seriousness that in this case the offense of the murderous Mexican mob was not as serious as the offense of the American administration.

"On Aug. 27, 1914, President Wilson said with marked oratorical effect: 'We shall vigilantly watch the fortunes of those Americans who cannot get away from Mexico.' 'Vigilant watching'—'watchful waiting'—the phrase matters nothing; for there never is any deed to back it up. Three years have passed since the date of this oration: three years of incessant elocution on the part of Mr. Wilson; three years of repeated invocations to humanity and peace by Mr. Wilson; and Mr. Wilson still continues to vigilantly watch the fortunes of those Americans who cannot get away. There are not many of them left now. Hundreds have been killed, and Mr. Wilson has watched their fortunes as disinterestedly as if they had been rats pursued by terriers. This administration has displayed no more feeling of responsibility for the American women who have been raped, and for the American men, women and children who have been killed in Mexico, than a farmer shows for the rats killed by his dogs when the hay is taken from a barn. And now the American people are asked to sanction this policy in the name of peace, righteousness and humanity! Throughout this time President Wilson, in pursuance of the policy he enunciated in his message to Congress in December, 1914, has kept this country unprepared to fight any foreign foe. But he has allowed all of the factions in Mexico to prepare themselves to kill American soldiers and American civilians. In his message above quoted he says that he will 'follow the best practice of nations in matters of neutrality by forbidding the exportation of arms and munitions of war of any kind from the United States to any part of the republic of Mexico.' This was on Aug. 27, 1914. On Feb. 2, 1915, he changed his mind. Mr. Wilson may have a single track mind, but as he has been remarked in that event he possesses unexampled switching facilities and lifted the embargo on arms and munitions. On Feb. 5 the papers published the news of the great rush of arms and ammunition across the border to the Mexican armies. 'They Were Ignoble, Pointless, Unsuccessful Little Wars.'

"A couple of hundred of American soldiers, sailors and civilians were killed or wounded during the next two months. And on April 23, 1915, Mr. Wilson again changed his mind and ordered that the embargo on arms be restored. But on May 15 he changed his mind again, and the embargo was lifted so far as shipments to Tampico and other Mexican ports were concerned. On May 21, the cargoes of arms which we had refused to allow to land at Vera Cruz were accordingly landed elsewhere and sent to Huerta; while on June 2 the Carranzistas got theirs through Tampico. On Sept. 2 the embargo was lifted everywhere and during the next few months military supplies of all kinds crossed the border for all of the Mexican factions.

"On Oct. 28, 1915, when all the factions had been amply supplied, Mr. Wilson again restored the embargo to all factions except the Carranzistas. On Oct. 28, therefore, Mr. Wilson specifically permitted arms to be sent to the adherents of the very name Carranza, who, according to his own Secretary of State, in the month of September, 30 days previous, on four specific occasions, invaded American territory and butchered American citizens, mutilating them before or after death. On the date when this embargo was thus raised, the names of 278 Americans who had been murdered had been officially placed on file. How many others had been murdered cannot at present be told.

"President Wilson took Vera Cruz in 1914, as we were officially informed at the time, to get a salute for the flag, and to prevent the shipment of arms into Mexico. He did not get his salute. He did not prevent the shipment of arms. But several hundred men were killed or wounded; and then he brought the army home without achieving either object. President Wilson sent an army into Mexico in 1914, as we were informed at the time, to get Villa 'dead or alive.' They did not get him dead. They did not get him alive. Again, several hundred men were killed and wounded. Again President Wilson is bringing the army home without achieving his object. Of course, it is a mere play upon words to say that these were not 'wars.' They were wars, and nothing else; ignoble, pointless, unsuccessful little wars; but wars. They cost millions of dollars and hundreds of lives, squandered to no purpose; they accomplished nothing; but they were wars. And yet Mr. Wilson's defenders say that he 'has kept us out of war.' As a matter of fact his policy in Mexico has combined all the evils of feeble peace with all the evils of feeble war. He has sacrificed the honor and the interest of the country; but he has not received the 30 pieces of silver. In fact, when Mr. Wilson forgets himself Mr. Wilson admits that we have been at war; for example, on May 11, 1914, in an address over the dead marines at the Navy Yard in Brooklyn (in which, by the way, he in effect claimed sympathy on the ground that his feelings had been as much lacerated by the news as the bodies of the dead men by bullets), he said that the marines had been engaged in a 'war of service.' A war of service to whom or what? Certainly not to the United States; nor to Mexico; nor to humanity at large. Was it to Mr. Wilson?

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The Ladies' Tailoring Dept. UNDER the direction of Miss Alexander Brandt is ready to take orders and make to your measure. Fall suits at very reasonable prices. Many new Fall fashions and exclusive materials await viewing. (Fourth Floor Annex.)

Stix, Baer & Fuller

GRAND LEADER
SIXTH-WASHINGTON-SEVENTH & LUCAS

Saturday Photo Special
Panel Photos, in folders, 2x5 inches, single finish—usual \$1.25 value—special, dozen, 99c
See our Postal Photos at three for 55c (Downstairs Store.)

Store Will Be Open Saturday Until 6 O'clock

Smart Untrimmed Shapes



THE Millinery Section is ready with a remarkable showing of all the new Shapes in Autumn. Millinery, and for Saturday, offers some unusual values in modish and becoming Untrimmed Shapes which, with a little trimming, will make very stylish Hats.

Lyons Velvet Dress Shapes—With French edges; extremely large sailors; irregular-brim Hats and models turned up in the back; in black; at \$2.98
Hand-Blocked Fanne Velvet Hats—Copies of the newest French shapes; in black and navy, (Third Floor.)

Women's Fall Boots at \$4.85

THESE are the new 8-inch high-top Boots, and come in soft all-black glazed kid, or in combination black-and-white, black with ivory tops, or tan calf with brown or ivory kid tops. In every way they are \$4.85 Shoes. Come in button and lace styles, with covered heels.



Women's \$4 and \$5 "Walk-Over Rejects" at \$2.35

Broken sizes, but in good styles, and in most all leathers. Just 500 pairs.

Growing Girls' Shoes, \$2.85 Pair

A splendid opportunity, offering Patent or Doll Calf Shoes, with low heels and in all sizes and widths. Regular \$3.50 value.

Children's Shoes

We have added to the Dugan & Hudson lines at 20% off—500 pairs of "Feet-Speed" shoes, in Boy Scout or regular style. These are the highest grade back-to-nature styles—made of soft alskan, with welled tan soles for boys, and white duplex soles for girls. Boys' Sizes, \$3.00—1 1/2 to 2, \$2.95; Reg. \$3.50—2 1/2 to 5, \$2.85. Children's and Girls, tan only, sizes to 2—worth \$3.00, at \$1.98. Toy Bed Wagons Free with each pair of children's shoes. (Main Floor.)

Final Clearing Women's Bathing Suits

There are many styles, in silk poplin and mohair, which formerly sold at \$3.00 to \$7.50; now, choice, \$1.00

All Knit Bathing Suits, \$2.00
One-piece style, with various colored trimmings. Broken sizes. Formerly priced \$3, \$4 and \$5. (Second Floor.)

Calling Cards, 24c

These Cards are printed on fine mill Bristol card-board, in Tiffani Old English lettering. Gold-Initial Card Case to fit the cards. Ladies' size, 34c; Men's size, 24c. Wedding Invitations, Announcements and Card Invitations printed at low prices. (Main Floor.)

Men's Fall Shoes, \$3.45

NEW English last—black gunmetal and dark tan calf—made on the popular flat lasts, in all sizes. Also vict kid, with stapled instep and built-in arch supporter, and leather-lined, broad-toe Bluecher lace style. All sizes.

A Number of Samples of "AMERICAN GENTLEMAN" SHOES
In all the wanted styles and leathers, marked for Saturday at far below worth, the pair, \$2.85 (Men's Store—Main Floor.)

Remember—Saturday Is Candy Day

IT is the day when men are reminded to take the weekly package home to the wife and kiddies. Our Sure-Pure Candy Factory has provided for your needs with delightful dainties—some at very special prices.

60c Milk Chocolates, 39c
These are composed of small cubes of pineapple dipped in semi-liquid fondant, and covered with milk chocolate. Usually they are 60c lb.

Saturday Caramels—the 40c kind, lb., 25c
Heavenly Hash—box, 19c
French Mixed Candy—lb., 15c
Pure Sugar Stick—lb., 20c
Our own make "Supreme" Chocolates—25c, 40c and 60c lb.

These are ready packed, and you may choose your favorite kind. (Main Floor.)

Men's 50c Neckwear, 25c

HERE is news that few men who hear will overlook. In the lot are Four-in-Hand and Bat Ties, in a wide variety of novelty and staple effects, floral, figured, checked and striped patterns—in short, Neckwear that will meet every demand.

Final Clean-Up of Certain Lots of Men's \$1 and \$1.50 Summer Shirts, 60c
Odd lots of Madras, Duettine and Oxford cloths, checked, striped and plaid patterns, with soft turn-back cuffs. Shown in all sizes.

Last Day of Manhattan Shirt Sale
Men who would buy Manhattan Shirts at far below the regular prices, will do so tomorrow, or wait until the next sale, six months hence. (Men's Store—Main Floor.)

Final Clean-Up of All Men's Athletic Underwear
50c and 75c Garments
35c Three for \$1

Shirts and Drawers, of cross-bar dimity, checked nainsook, plain mercerized cloths and madras; also Dropstitch Lisle Thread garments. All sizes in some style or other. (Main Floor.)

Men's Fall Hats, \$1.95

Offering a Saving of 1/4 and More
In this lot are twenty-four new styles of Hats made from select quality fur-felt. They are silk-trimmed and shown in the wanted colors.

Stetson and Waldorf Hats
Saturday we make our first complete showing of Stetson and Waldorf and imported Hats for men. (Men's Store—Main Floor.)

Sale of Men's Suits

at \$11.00
\$15.00, \$18.00 and \$20.00 Grades

AT this price, Saturday, men have the opportunity of choosing from a lot of 350 Suits that are taken from our regular stocks and grouped at this figure, because our stocks are somewhat broken.

There is a diversity of patterns, and a good range of sizes for all types of men—there being suits that are very suitable for wear late into Fall.

The Daily Shipments of Kuppenheimer Suits—make selection of new Fall garments from this noted maker, very good, and men can choose to splendid advantage now. (Men's Store—Main Floor.)



Tomorrow for Boys' School Suits

TOMORROW is the last Saturday before school. Our Boys' Store is splendidly prepared with complete lines of Boys' Clothes from the country's best makers, and offers many special values.

"S. B. & F." Two-Trouser Suits

Ideal School Suits—made of wool-mixed materials, and shown in new Norfolk styles. They have two pairs of trousers, which are full-lined and taped. Sizes 6 to 18 years, at **\$4.95**

"Perfection" Suits

With Extra Pair of Knickers
New Norfolk models, all hand-finished garments—made from all-wool materials. Coats are serge or mohair lined, and both pairs of trousers lined throughout. Sizes 6 to 18 years, at **\$7.45**

Blue Serge Suits, Special at \$5.75

All-wool, fast-blue Serge—in new pinch-back style, expertly tailored throughout, and having full-lined trousers. Other Serge Suits at **\$6.95, \$9.75 to \$14.75**

Boys' "Skolny" Suits

New pinch-back models, in a wide range of patterns, with extra pair of Knickers. Sizes 7 to 19 years, **\$8.75 to \$16.50**

Boys' Novelty Suits

Smart new belted effects, with separate white washable collars—accurately tailored from blue serge, black-and-white checks and fancy mixtures. Sizes from 2 1/2 to 10 years, priced at **\$2.45, \$2.95, \$3.85 and \$4.35**

Boys' Hats and Caps

Complete line of Boys' and Children's Cloth Hats and Caps for school or dress wear, at **48c, 98c, \$1.48 and Up** (Second Floor Annex.)

Youth Held for Killing Parents.
PALATKA, Fla., Sept. 1.—John Muller, a youth who was arrested here accused of killing his father and mother, he said by the police to have admitted his guilt.

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GERMANS BEGIN REPRISALS ON RUSSIAN NAVAL PRISONERS

Declare Officers and Sailors of their Navy Are Treated as Criminals in Siberia.
BERLIN, Sept. 1, by wireless to Sayville.—"Officers and sailors of the Russian navy, prisoners in Germany," says the Overseas News Agency, "have been brought into reprisal camp because for more than a year German naval officers and sailors in Siberia have been treated as common criminals."
"The Russians," the news agency says, "will be treated exactly as are the German prisoners in Russia until Russia decides to treat the Germans as sailors who did their duty for their country."
"The Russian actions are said to have been caused by the advice of England, which declared that the Germans were not regular sailors but pirates. All diplomatic negotiations were without result. The Russian general staff even pretended that proved facts were untrue and this caused the German Government to adopt counter measures."

Divorce Suit Against Two Husbands.
CHICAGO, Sept. 1.—Mrs. Rose Williams-Linhart has filed a single bill for divorce from two living husbands, alleging she married F. J. Williams at Green Bay, Wis., in 1909, when she was 15 years old, and, thinking this marriage illegal, married Albert Linhart of Chicago in 1915. She asks the court to free her from both marriages.

Negro Beat Him, Collector Says.
Leighton King, an insurance collector, of 423 Green avenue, was found at Thirtieth street and Franklin avenue last night nursing several scalp wounds and cuts on the face. He told the police he had been assaulted by a negro. He was taken to the city hospital.

HUGHES AWAKENED AT 6 A. M. ON HIS TRIP IN KANSAS

Crowd Gathers at Salina and Calls Candidate to the Rear of the Car.

SALINA, Kan., Sept. 1.—Charles E. Hughes today charged the present administration with being the most extravagant in the history of the United States. In a brief address from the rear platform of his car at Ellsworth, the nominee said: "I desire to have an economical government. The present administration has been more extravagant than any administration that preceded it. I understand from high authority that we shall have in present appropriations outside of preparedness and all in increased appropriations for army and navy and fortifications—outside of all those, the appropriations will exceed by \$160,000,000 the appropriations of any former Congress in time of peace and exceed even the appropriations we had in the Civil War."
The nominee reiterated his declaration that he proposed, if elected, to have a businesslike administration with a budget system that would ensure "proper economy and measure of outlay."
Hughes' trip through Kansas was punctuated by a series of rear platform addresses that began at 6 a. m. at Ellsworth, where a stop was made to change engines.
Awakened by the cheering, the nominee dressed hurriedly and made a brief rear platform speech. None of the other members of his party was awake. At Elays, Victoria and Russell short stops were also made.

Miss Annie S. Peck at Lima, Peru.
LIMA, Peru, Sept. 1.—Miss Annie S. Peck, the American mountain climber, has arrived here after a successful trip through Brazil, Chile and Bolivia. She also visited the River La Plata district.

Complainant That Girl Robbed Him.
A man who described himself as Walden C. Lee, 407 Russell avenue, complained to the police last night that he had been robbed of a \$70 gold watch by a girl with whom he had been motoring in the county. He said that he met her in a cafe at Grand avenue and Olive streets.

\$40 paid for your old stove during September in exchange for one of our new A. B. gas ranges. Geller, Ward & Hasner Bldg. Co., 412-414 N. 4th st.

SOCIETY

M. R. and MRS. GEORGE DEXTER of Boston have arrived to be present at the marriage of Miss Ellen Douglas McLean to their son, George Stillman Dexter, which will take place tomorrow evening at 6 o'clock at "Tanglewood," the residence of Miss McLean's mother, Mrs. Emerson O. McLean, on the Bellefontaine road.
The wedding will be one of the socially important ones of the season. Miss Polly Dexter of Boston, Mr. Dexter's sister, will be maid of honor, and the other attendants will be Mrs. E. W. Crane, Misses Katherine Case, Jean Armstrong, Elizabeth McCormack and Miss Lois Tappan of Mansfield, O.
Mr. Dexter's father will be his best man and William Bramhall of Boston will be one of the groomsmen.
The bride is the granddaughter of the late Dr. Gibson, whose old home near Blissill, Mo., she and her mother occupy.
She is a graduate of Mary Institute, class of 1913, and is a member of a prominent New England family.
The wedding will be on the lawn and the ceremony will be performed by the Rev. G. J. Meese, chaplain of the Ohio State Reformatory, an old friend.

Mrs. William C. Little has been called from California where she has returned from a summer stay at New York to join her daughter, Miss Margaret Little.
Mrs. Little is giving up her apartment in the Lucerne and will reside in New York.
Mrs. Bradford Shinkle of 7108 Delmar boulevard and her children have returned from Harbor Point, Mich., where they spent the summer.
Mr. and Mrs. Andy J. Knapp, who have been occupying the home of their daughter, Mrs. Erasmus Wells and Mr. Wells at 446 Maryland avenue during their absence in Westport, Mich., will open their apartment in the Lucerne about Sept. 15, when Mr. and Mrs. Wells return.
The Harvest Festival at the Liederkreis Club, which always ends the summer social season, will be given on the evening of Sept. 15. It is usually an interesting affair with the guests dressed as country lads and lassies and quite informal.

Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Stauffer of 528 Page boulevard, and their daughter, Miss Katherine Stauffer, have returned from Crystal Lake, Mich.
GOING AWAY?
This is to remind you that before you start you should order the POST-DISPATCH. Have it mailed daily and Sunday and change the address whenever necessary. Price 10 cents a month, including postage.

BREMEN TRINITY CEMETERY IS TO BECOME A CITY PARK

Archbishop Glennon Arranges for Transfer of Burial Place, Long Abandoned.
Bremen, Trinity Cemetery on Florissant avenue, north of O'Fallon Park, is to become a place of recreation, Archbishop Glennon having agreed to dedicate the property to the city for use as a park. The tract, eight acres in extent, is to be used simply as a park and no playgrounds, swimming pool or bathhouse is to be established on it. Every grave that can be identified will be marked so that relatives of the dead can remove the bodies if they desire. The cemetery has been abandoned for many years. It was formerly a burial place for German parishes.

C. M. Morton's Auto Stolen.
An automobile owned by Charles M. Morton, 570 Westmeyer place, was stolen last night from King's highway and Delmar boulevard.

LOW WEEK END RATES
\$1.50 Springfield, Ill. **\$2.00** Peoria, Ill.
and Return and Return
GOING ANY TRAIN, SEPT. 1-2; Returning Any Train Up to and INCLUDING SEPT. 5 via
ILLINOIS TRACTION SYSTEM
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OPEN TILL 7 P. M. SATURDAY

Boys' New Caps
Boys' School Caps and Children's Hats! Hats! Hats! special for Saturday
25c & 49c
ST. LOUIS BARGAIN CENTER
Penny and Gentles
BROADWAY & MORGAN ST.
10c Mantles
Inverted or up-tied.
5c

Women's New Fall Suits

New Tailored Suits, made of excellent quality wool poplins, gabardines and fancy cloths, messaline silk lined, many have fur trimmed collars, six of the latest styles to select from. A big bargain at \$18. Our extra special price for Saturday's selling is (Second Floor) **\$12.50**

\$4 New Fall Skirts
In satins, poplins, serges and mixtures, latest gathered and pocket styles. Regular \$4 value. **\$2.98**
\$3.00 Silk Waists
In crepe de chine, taffetas, tub silk, plain or striped; assorted sizes. While they last, Saturday **\$1.69**

89c School Dresses
3000 gingham, chambray and percales; 6 different styles; all sizes; values up to 89c, at **50c**
Misses' Middies, 39c
White and assorted colored collars, ages up to 20; also 75 Gingham Dresses, up to 14 years, choice Saturday **39c**

SILK GLOVES
Women's 75c two-clasp and 10-button lengths; pink, white and brown, pair. **50c**
WINDSOR TIES
25c all silk messaline Windsor, plaids and plain colors; special for Saturday's selling at **18c**
SCHOOL RIBBONS
Large variety of Ribbons, plain, taffeta, moire, tone and fancy plaids; regular 35c value; **22c**
98c Leather Bags
Sample all leather Hand Bags; some leather, many with fittings. **59c**

Boys' (Two-Pants) School Suits
Special Saturday **\$2.95** and **\$3.95**
at **2.95** and **3.95**
These are made of good durable casimeres and chevots, pretty pleasing colors, in Norfolk Pinch-back styles; extra Knickerbockers to match; 6 to 17 years.
\$3 NORFOLK Suits, \$1.95
Dark shades; just the suit for school wear; sizes 6 to 16 years; extra special for Saturday's selling at **\$1.95**
Fall Dress-Up Suits, \$4.95
Included are extra fine pure wool blue serges and fancy mixtures; sizes 6 to 15 years; extra special, **\$4.95**
Second Floor.

A Wonderful Sale of the NEW FALL MILLINERY
Two Trimmed Hat Specials
Special for Saturday—we have selected just 125 Trimmed Hats for this sale. These Hats are the exact copies of pattern hats shown in the most exclusive shops. We also show some conservative styles, plain or rolled brim sailors, jockey or mushroom pokes, classy turbans, trimmed with gold or silver ribbon, ornaments, peacock feathers, imitation paradise, birds, etc. These styles are unequaled elsewhere under \$7.50. (Second Floor)
\$1.94 and \$2.94
UNTRIMMED SHAPES
All silk velvet Hats in all the new Fall styles; black and white; values in all **94c**
Large dress styles in all **\$1.95**
The new imported shapes; domestic or Lyons velvet; Hand blocked and finished pattern shapes in silk Lyons, or plush, **\$1.95**, **\$2.95** and **\$3.95**
HATS TRIMMED FREE.
WE TRIM HATS FREE.

69c CORSETS
Long or short models, in the medium or low bust; lace or embroidered; trimmed; heavy coutil material; sizes 19 to 30, **38c**
19c Brassieres
Hook front or button back; all silk; good quality cambric; embroidered; trimmed; mod. color; **12c**
75c Petticoats
Made of best quality cambric, trimmed with deep ruffle of embroidered insertion; included in this lot are some extra sizes, at **59c**
(Second Floor)

Big Purchase of Men's Shirts
We have purchased a big lot of Men's Dress Shirts at a big saving and will place them on sale Saturday at about one-half their regular value. This lot consists of \$1.00 and \$1.25 shirts; styles include the popular soft French cuffs; shirts of striped and figured pongee; fast colors; special.
Underwear
Men's 30c Shirts or Drawers; light-ribbed, long-sleeve Shirts or Balbriggan ankle-length Drawers; special, each **19c**
50c Silk Hose
Double sole, toe and heel; garter top; all colors; special for Saturday's selling; per pair **33c**
39c Silk Hose
Double sole, heel and toe; garter top; all colors to select from; special for Saturday's selling; per pair **19c**

THE STORE OF BEST SHOE VALUES FOR ALL

Women's \$3 to \$1.95
\$4 New Fall Shoes
The best values offered by any store in St. Louis. Patent and dull calf leathers; lace and button; high and low heels; never before have we been able to offer you such values as we will Saturday. Now is the time to buy your Fall Shoes at **\$1.95**
SCHOOL SHOES
Boys' School Shoes in patent calf and dull calf leathers; button styles; broad toe; sizes 2 1/2 to 11 1/2; **\$1.49**
Girls' Gunmetal Calf Shoes for school wear; button style; easy fitting last; sizes 11 1/4 to 13; **\$1.29**
Girls' Kid and Dull School Shoes; kid or cloth tops; low heels; sold in other stores at **\$1.49**
Little Boys' Durable School Shoes in lace and button; calfskin uppers; mannish shoes; extra strong sole; sizes 9 to 13 1/2; **\$1.00**
Men's \$3.50 & \$2.10
\$4 Fall Shoes
Men's gunmetal calf, tan calf and patent calf Shoes at a price less than the actual cost to make. Lace and button; English and medium high toe; all sizes; every pair Goodyear welt sewn, **\$2.10**
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We are going to DOUBLE our business in BOYS' CLOTHING

Ready With the Greatest Stock We've Ever Shown

TO double the great volume of business we are doing in our Boys' Department is no small task—BUT WE WILL DO IT. We have plunged heavily—we have bought the biggest stocks and most complete assortment we have ever shown. And, best of all, we bought months and months ago, when goods were cheaper than they are now—and we have had the goods shipped early. Now we are ready—everything that is new, stylish and worthy in Boys' and Children's Apparel—everything marked so low that we are sure of the greatest business in our entire history.



Boys' School Suits

With Two Pairs of Knickers

Notwithstanding the great advance in woollens, workmanship and everything that goes into the making of these Suits, we offer our celebrated lines of Boys' Two-pants Suits at the same low prices as before.

Boys' "Challenge" Suits
Newest belted Norfolk coats, with two pairs of full-lined, button bottom knickerbockers—ages 6 to 16—the greatest values in all St. Louis—at **\$3.00**

Boys' "Economy" Suits
Splendid Suits in new Fall fabrics—belted Norfolk coats with two pairs of full-lined knickerbockers—ages 6 to 16—unequaled anywhere in this city for less than **\$5.00**

Boys' "True Steel" Suits
Pinch-back and Norfolk coats, with three-piece belt—two pairs of full-lined, button bottom knickerbockers—ages 6 to 16—unequaled anywhere in this city for less than **\$5.00**

Boys' Fall Knickers
Newest patterns in wool-mixed casimeres—good weight—cut roomy and full-lined—have watch pockets, belt loops and button bottoms—ages 6 to 16 **\$1.00**

Boys' 75c and \$1.00 Knickers
Special lot of Boys' Knickers—wool chevots in a variety of patterns—lined throughout—have belt loops and button bottoms—ages 6 to 16 **69c**

The Prettiest Children's Hats
Are here for you—selections from three of the best makers in New York—styles that will please every mother—of a boy—new mixtures in cloth and velvets—**\$1.00**, **\$1.50** and **\$2.00**—a fine lot at **50c**

Boys' Novelty Suits
All mothers are going to be delighted with this showing of dainty and effective styles for the little chaps—made in yoke—all sizes—unusual values—priced at **\$5.00**, **\$4.50**, **\$3.50**, **\$1.95** and a great line at **\$2.95**

Boys' Fall Shirts
Our new showing of Boys' Shirts is now complete—all the standard brands—newest weaves and patterns—a wonderful showing at **\$1.00**, **89c** and a fine big lot at **50c**

Boys' Rain Coats with Hat
Good quality double texture bombazine cloth—strapped and cemented seams—unusually suitable for girls—complete with rain hat to match coat—ages 4 to 14—**\$4.00** outfit at **\$2.90**

Boys' Fall Blouses
Very newest Fall patterns and colorings—thoroughly well made in the popular tailless style with yoke—all sizes—unusual values at this price of **50c**

\$5.00 Blue Serge Suits
Dressy Suits—made of all-wool, absolutely fast color blue serge—thoroughly shrunk before being made up—newest Norfolk models with full-lined knickerbockers—ages 6 to 16—unequaled anywhere in this city for less than **\$3.95**

Boys' Stockings
As a special bargain for Saturday's selling we offer a new lot of boys' fine and heavy ribbed fast black Stockings—equally suitable for girls—ages 6 to 16—all worth much more than this special price of **11c**

Fall Showing Young Men's College Suits

OUR separate department devoted exclusively to Young Men's School and College Suits is aglow with the newest Fall styles and most captivating fabrics, at **\$7.85**, **\$10**, **\$12.50**, **\$15**

SUITS in English and conservative models—plain or pinch-back—plain or patch pockets—two and three button effects—all unusual values.

Here They Are!

Men's New Fall Hats

A wonderful showing of all that is new and fashionable in Men's Soft and Stiff Hats at—

\$1.85 **\$2.50**
\$3.00
Stetson's, \$3.50 and \$4.00

EVERY man in St. Louis who wants the very best Hat value for his money should make it a point to come to Schmitz & Shroder's and look over this new Fall line—here are all the latest shapes and colorings—styles to suit every countenance—prices to satisfy every purse—and expert salesmen to see you get the Hat that is most becoming to you.

Men's Fall Trousers
\$1.50 to \$5

Final Reductions

Men's Summer Suits

About 350 Suits—1/2 lined, 1/4 lined and 1/2 lined—that were \$12.50, \$15, \$18 and \$20—now, **\$9.00**

\$10.00 to \$25.00

Men's New Fall Suits and Overcoats
are now on display in complete assortment—fine fabrics—high-class tailoring—unusual values at all prices—

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New Fall Neckwear **50c**

Johnny Tobin Might Tell Trainmen How It Feels to Go Out on Strikes

Browns Won Nine, Lost Six Games Against East's Best; Boston no Longer Feared

Detroit, Which Performed Even Better Than the Browns, During Recent Invasion, Is Now the Club They Must Trounce to Win Pennant, Jones' Men Believe.

By W. J. O'Connor.

CLEVELAND, Sept. 1. ERNIE KOOB'S joyous return to form yesterday when he nosed out the Red Sox, 2-1, gave the Browns a record of 9 victories and 6 defeats against the Eastern clubs. Only Detroit, which has defeated Detroit is the team the Browns think they must beat for the pennant.

Boston without Barry is a team without a punch. It was an error by McNally, Barry's successor, that gave the Browns yesterday's game, or at least one of their two runs, and sentiment in Eider Jones' camp is that McNally will lose many games that Barry might win.

However, the Browns are concerned only about themselves. They do think that Koo's fine work yesterday is an indication of Ernie's return to the fold of fine pitching, and if their presumption is true, Detroit will have a merry time beating four southpaws in the series that is only a few days' off.

Manager Jennings evidently appreciates this fact, for he feared, through his scout Billy Sullivan, a fabulous price for Hamilton. This got a single out of Jones.

By winning yesterday the Browns accomplished virtually the entire task set down for them by their manager. Jones said that if the team won 10 out of 11 games on the trip, he would be prepared to return home and fight it out for the flag. With Dave Devenport to go tomorrow against the Indians, the prospects are rosy for a fulfillment of this promise.

Cleveland has been shipping and experienced the worst trip of any of the Western clubs in the East. Chicago, too, has fared poorly, while the Tigers and Browns have more than upheld their end. And the series between the teams should be worth going miles to see.

Great Support Aided Koo.

But the secret of Koo's success, operating as he was behind a two-run lead, was the wonderful support accorded him by John L. Shotton. Shotton, Lavan made five fielding plays that were gems. Indeed, it was superlative baseball and hard to reproduce with a word-painting.

In the sixth inning, however, Walker, who had doubled, and was advanced on an out, was scurrying home when Scott hit what looked like a single. Lavan grabbed the ball behind Austin and threw without aim towards Slater. After he had started the throw he fell on his face, but came up in time to see Brick Owens wave out Scott. As later developments showed, it saved the Browns from a tie game.

Early in the game Lewis was on second with one out when Walker hit a ball to deep short. Lavan could not make a play first, but he did stab the drive and snapped it to Austin, who snared Lewis on a close decision. It was a good throw, but Lavan considered expert on taking the ball and the runner as he did in this instance.

There was another great defensive play behind Koo that helped. One run in the fifth inning, Miller and Hooper riled deep to Miller and Routhly and singled, ending Routhly's drive and snapped it to Austin, who snared Lewis on a close decision. It was a good throw, but Lavan considered expert on taking the ball and the runner as he did in this instance.

The Browns got their two runs in two clusters and in each instance after two were out. Shotton scratched a lead off McGally in the third with two hands down. McGally then booted Miller's grounder and Shotton stepped at second. Slater made his second hit and called out on strikes.

In the next inning Severid singled with one out. Shotton followed with a home run, and came Lavan with fire in his eye. Johnny hit the first ball and drilled a

Hoppe to Defend His 18.2 Honors Late in October

Moolah Temple Is Selected as Place to Stage Match by Champion's Manager.

R. B. Benjamin, manager of Willie Hoppe, announced this morning that the Moolah Temple, 3231 Lindell boulevard, has been engaged to stage the world's championship fight between Willie Hoppe, champion of the world, and G. Butler Sutton, the Chicago star, who is rated by Benjamin as the champion's most worthy rival.

The dates selected for the match are Oct. 21 and 22. The hall seats 2200 persons, and with the two stars clashing three nights this will give all the billiard followers of St. Louis a chance to witness the contest, the first real championship staged here in many months.

Benjamin also announced that all the pictures of the Astor House championship tournament would be brought here.

Wagner Out for Rest of Season

PITTSBURG, Pa., Sept. 1.—Honus Wagner, veteran shortstop of the Pittsburgh Nationals, will probably not be able to play again this season, owing to a series of injuries sustained during the last month.

He was out 30 days as a result of a badly injured thumb and a lacerated finger, and when these wounds had healed, he twisted his knee in his leg. This injury was improving slowly when he was followed by the first game with Boston, Wagner went in as a pinch-hitter and again hurt his leg.

As there is only one more month of the season, the shortstop's friends say he probably will not return to the bench while a number of recruits will be tried out in his position.

CARDS' GAME IS OFF; DOUBLE BILL TOMORROW

The series of the series between the Cardinals and Cubs, scheduled for tomorrow, was called off shortly after 10 o'clock this morning on account of rain. With the series called off tomorrow and a two-for-one game scheduled for Wednesday, the postponed battle of today will be a double bill, where the two clubs will meet at 12 o'clock.

Johnny's double bill starts at 2 o'clock.

PENNY ANTE: That Same Old Story

By Jean Knott



DOYLE SIGNS FOR THREE YEARS; MAY BE CUBS' MANAGER

Report That Tinker Is to Go Follows Acceptance of Contract by Former Giant.

Manager Joe Tinker of the Cubs probably will present another new lineup in the remaining three contests with the Cardinals here. Larry Doyle of Breese, Ill., and late of the New York Giants, yesterday came to terms with Owner Weeghman and signed a contract for three years, said to call for a salary of \$7500 a season. Doyle has not played a game with the Browns since being traded to the team with Hunter and Jacobson, for Zimmerman, who was being traded only a few days ago, was holding out for an increase in salary.

While nothing has been definitely announced to date, it was believed that Doyle would be the next manager of the team. The signing of a three-year document by Doyle, a third manager from the Browns, may have something to do with this.

Tinker made a failure of it right at the start of the campaign, because he placed too much stock in the Federal League, the shortstop, who looks as if he might develop into a star; Peckous, a third baseman from the Browns, who played only a few games; and Kelly, a former American Association outfielder. Kelly played today only a few games, but he is said to be a good fielder. The other two showed up in good fashion, though.

Now the Cub manager is using several new players. Three of them, however, were introduced to the local public yesterday. They were Chuck Workman, the shortstop, who looks as if he might develop into a star; Peckous, a third baseman from the Browns, who played only a few games; and Kelly, a former American Association outfielder. Kelly played today only a few games, but he is said to be a good fielder. The other two showed up in good fashion, though.

Two other new men probably will get a chance to show before the out-of-town crowd. They are Nick Carter, the pitcher and Elliott, a catcher from the Coast League.

Reports to the Cub have been that he will without a doubt be sent to second base, with the shortstop going to the bench, as Tinker wants to give Peckous and Hunter, two corner recruits, a change to show their worth.

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WELSH'S COLUMN

Lieutenant Miracle Man. WHEN the "Miracle Man" compliments are distributed at Sportsman's Park, closing the present baseball season, it will be up to St. Louis fans to remember that Fielder Jones is only one of the wizards who combined to give St. Louis an aggressive, capable and perhaps championship club.

In the light of developments the owners of the club, and the team's well-wishers are indebted almost as much to Branch Rickey as to Jones, for it was Rickey who has just beaten the world's champions three out of four games, in a test series, and which now leads Carrigan's men in their season's record.

Rickey Found Them All. FOR, in the sudden rise of the club from nothing to front rank or near it, three players have been largely responsible: Ernie Koo, the game southpaw pitcher; Johnny Lavan, the reigning sensation among the infielders of the country; and George Siler, who even jealous rivals admit is the best new ball player known to all the fans.

All of these men were found and signed by Branch Rickey. Branch did not see the finished product and sign them for big prices—any old scout could do that. He saw the raw material, and he saw the potentialities of each of them, and he jumped them from college teams to the major league baseball world.

Couldn't Get Along Without Them. FIGURE it out, Bo, what the club has the best percentage of victories of all the Browns' hurriers; without Siler, who is batting .301, has scored 71 runs himself and is the best first baseman since Hal Chase, who has scored 141 runs, and whose almost unbelievable defensive work has saved him from a 288 average.

These three men, deducted from the Browns, would put the club below Cleveland and New York and keep it there, almost beyond question.

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J. McCRAWLEY WILL MAKE TRIP EAST WITH TRACK MEN

M. A. A.'s Comeback Sprinter Has Been Training Faithfully Since Last Sunday.

John McCrawley, the Missouri Athletic Association sprinter, who pulled a sensational comeback in the Western District A. U. championship meet last Sunday, and the other members of Willbur Huttel's track team, who have been named to compete in the national championships at Newark, have been training faithfully all week and are in first-class shape. Floyd Fitzell, Hickman and Biel are the other Cherry Dandel stars named to make the trip.

A team has worked out several times at Francis Field under the watchful eye of Huttel, and should be at the top of the game when they start on their journey to Newark.

McCrawley, who has been named for the 100 and 220 yard dashes, has been showing better with each out, according to Huttel, and should be at the top of his form when he goes against the stars of the country at Newark, Sept. 8 and 9.

According to M. A. A. officials he will be able to make the trip, as will all the others.

Ford, who holds the world's record at indoor pole vaulting, is expected to make a good showing in this event, while Fitzell, Hickman and Biel are among the best in the country at their respective events.

It will be the first time in history that a local club had five color bearers in the national events.

Public, however, is not so confident in the case of Welsh. It remembers that White is younger and stronger, if not quite so skillful, and that he has knocked out a long line of opponents, included among whom are some of the best-known names in the lightweight world.

Who knows—even the great defense and running powers of Welsh may be weakened for one fatal instant against the good-night wallop of his opponent?

Chaney Lacks Confidence. WITH Chaney it's different. The conditions under which this match was made indicate that Chaney is none too confident of his own prowess.

It is a condition of the articles that if Chaney loses he gets \$1000 more than if he wins. This would net him \$5000 and Kilbane \$10,000.

Kilbane has knocked out a lot of men, but he has not been of the caliber, in the featherweight class, that White's lightweight victims boasted.

If you like a fighter's opinion of himself, there's nothing to the outcome of these bouts—Kilbane and Welsh. ON THE other hand, if you like a personal view, and it's no mere publicity confidence, either.

Jockey Matty McIntyre Killed. CHICAGO, Sept. 1.—Andrew Hocking, who was killed when he fell or jumped from a fourth-story building of a hotel here last Monday, was identified today as "Matty McIntyre," under which name he was a noted jockey. Not long ago he was ruled from the track at Hot Springs, and since has been living in Chicago.

Women Swimmers Meet. The women's swimming team of the Columbia Athletic Club will be the guests of the local feminine swimmers at the Loredal Natatorium, Sunday evening. A number of other well-known swimmers will also be included in the party. A water polo contest and several other aquatic contests have been arranged for the program.

ELKS TO GREET BROWNS ON RETURN HOME SUNDAY. Members of the Elks' Club will be out in a body Sunday afternoon to greet the Browns on their return home following their last invasion of the East. Members will assemble at the club, 3619 Lindell boulevard, and hence go to the park, escorted by the Elks' Band. The Elks are doing this to show their appreciation to the Browns for their efforts to give St. Louis a winning ball club.

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Also equally big saving on our specials at \$25, \$30 and \$35 for the fastidious dresser who wants the best that money can buy.

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SPORT SALAD BY L. C. Davis

The Revue. THE Red Sox are fading. And Fielder went wading. Right into the title defenders; We captured the fracas. And now they all take us. For bonafide pennant contenders.

Branch Rickey is dizzy. It keeps him so busy. In answering numerous queries; And rascally roaring. For seats to the coming world's series.

The Cards staged a frolic. That gave us the colic. They played like a bunch of comedians; They acted so funny. The late Mr. Bunney. Would look like the king of tragedians.

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FIFTY KILLED IN HURRICANE

Floods Coincident With Storm in Dominica, West Indies.

ST. THOMAS, D. W. I., Sept. 1.—Fifty lives were lost in a hurricane which struck the British West Indian island of Dominica last Monday night. The wind reached a velocity of more than 70 miles. Rivers in the island rose to unprecedented heights and carried away bridges and culverts. Some streams changed their courses and swept through fields and villages, carrying away houses with their occupants.

The number of houses, schools, churches and other buildings wrecked or seriously damaged exceeds 200.

The self-respecting tenant, who would respect your property, too, might be reached by an ad in the Post-Dispatch during the next few weeks.

REMLEY

SLASHES PRICES
SATURDAY AND MONDAY SPECIALS
Store Open Saturday Night Till 9:30 P. M.
Store Open All Day Monday
Restaurant Open Monday Till 6:30 P. M.

RESTAURANT SPECIAL
SATURDAY
From 11 A. M. to 1:30 P. M.
CHICKEN A LA KING, 25c
OYSTERS—First Fresh Oysters
of the Season
Any Brand of Beer or
Wine 40c value
Small Ham Sandwich,
Bottle any Brand
Beer or Wine 10c

Porterhouse,
Sirloin, or
Round Steaks

Cut from U. S. inspected
cattle. "Fresh," young juicy
and tender; 25c value; pound,

19c

10 lbs. Fine Granulated Sugar, 45c
With 1 lb. Fancy Mixture Tea, 50c, a splendid drink.

5 lbs. Fine Granulated Sugar, 23c
With 1 lb. our own Roasted Coffee, 23c; and 1/4 lb. Fancy Mixture Tea, 14c.

Coffee Blue Ribbon; our own
fresh roasted; 15c
20c value; per lb.
O-Joy Wash Boards
Reg. 45c value;
each 29c
Matches Blue; 100; large
boxes; 10c
50 value; 3 boxes 10c
Honey Bee Milk Tall cans;
10c value; 2 cans 15c
Argo Starch Reg. 5c
3 boxes; 10c

June Peas Man-From-Home
Brand; sweet
and tender; reg. 10c value;
8 cans 20c
Sardines Reg. 5c value;
8 cans 10c
Fine Table Salt 5-lb. bags;
10c value; 2 bags 13c
String Beans Baraca brand;
reg. 10c value; 3 cans 20c
Corn Flakes Large package;
reg. 5c value; 5 pkgs. 25c

BREAD
Nearest home-made and the best made in
St. Louis. Made by skilled bakers
in our own large Sanitary Bakery.

2 Large Loaves 5c
Raisin Bread 4c
special.

KENTUCKY YELLOW LABEL,
The bona fide original Whisky that has made good in
thousands of households as a straight, pure, mild and
undistilled Whisky. Highly recommended for medicinal
use. Sold in the St. Louis district at Remley's
only. Full quart.

EGGS Strictly fresh; newly laid; our
traded guarantee behind every one.
Brag! Sold only in sealed
cartons; all sizes.
Eggs selected, dozen 28c

Rolls Oats New crop; put
up in new 6-lb.
cotton sacks;
30c value;
24c

Breakfast Sausage "Nothing better nor more
appetizing," says
economical. Will tickle
the palate of a million
men; regular 15c value;
10c

Head Rice New crop; put
up in new 4-lb.
cotton sacks;
40c value;
32c

BUTTER Fresh churned—direct from
the best Northern Cream-
eries in the U. S. Market
away higher, yet Remley
keeps on retailing 20c to 40c
below all other retailers.

SPRING CHICKENS—
Our own fresh
dressed. 10c
YOUNG HENS—Our own
fresh dressed. 15c
YOUNG PIGEONS, each 10c
Just the thing for
boiling or fricasse.

FRESH OYSTERS
First of the season.
Simply grand; sold
in measures; quart 35c

Chuck Roast Out from finest U. S.
Inspt. Cattle—fresh
as a daisy; 10c

Rolls Roast All solid meat; no
bone; 10c

Prime Rib Roast Rolled Excellent high quality;
30c value; 10c

Plate Beef For boiling; cut from finest
U. S. Inspt. cattle; young
and tender; 15c value; 10c

MILK FED VEAL
Outlets, 10c; 25c
Veal Steaks, 10c; 24c
Veal Chops, 10c; 22c

Legs Veal Dandy for roast and
side cold—Sun-
day and Labor day, 28c
value, 10c

Sweet Potatoes, 15c
Think of it. Lower Than Irish Potatoes
One straight carload of beautiful,
smooth, even size, red Namamond,
sweetest in the world, 40c val., REM-
LEY CUTS the price; per 1/2 peck.

DAUES TO OPPOSE
KINLOCH POLICE
SIGNAL CONTRACT

Comptroller Player Will Resist
Payment if Commissioners
Renew Agreement.

The Police Board this afternoon will vote on approval of the minutes of its meeting Aug. 18, when its contract with the Kinloch Telephone Co. for equipment of police signal boxes was ordered canceled. Walter D. Thompson, President of the Board, who also is a member of the board of directors of the Kinloch company, originally voted against the cancellation of the contract.

George McD. Johns, superintendent of the Fire and Police Telegraph System, acting on information that Thompson intended at this afternoon's meeting to cause the board to set aside the cancellation of the contract, has obtained an opinion from City Counselor Dues that such action could legally be prevented.

Loss to the City.
A renewal of the Kinloch contract, according to Supt. Johns, would result in a loss of \$700.00 which the city has expended for equipment for a city-owned system to take the place of the Kinloch equipment.

Supt. Johns said the equipment of the police call boxes and of the red signal lights at the boxes is obsolete and rapidly is becoming almost useless. He said that more than a year ago he suggested to former President McPheters of the Police Board and Thomas Maffitt, member, that at the expiration of the contract the city install its own system.

At their direction, he said, he began purchasing the equipment for a new system, the total cost of which would be \$14,300. An examination of the Kinloch contract, he said, revealed that it contained a joker in that each of the 570 police boxes constituted a separate contract expiring five years from the date of its installation. The city was required to give 30 days' notice before terminating the contract for each box.

Resolution to Cancel Contract.
At a meeting Aug. 18 a resolution was adopted cancelling the contracts for all boxes. President McPheters, Maffitt and John J. Shashan, voted for the resolution, and Thompson, who was a new member of the board, voted against it. Prior to this meeting acting Governor Painter had called for McPheters' resignation as a member of the board.

Since that meeting McPheters and Maffitt have retired from the board. Under the board's rules an action taken by the board is not final until the minutes are approved at the next meeting.
Supt. Johns said yesterday that he had been informed that President Thompson had taken steps looking to a reconsideration of the cancellation of the contract at this afternoon's meeting. He said he had been informed by the City Counselor that if necessary to prevent a renewal of the Kinloch contract he would file an injunction suit against the board. Comptroller Player said he would refuse to pay the rental fixed in any renewal of the contract.

Under the existing contract the Kinloch company furnishes the equipment contained in the police call boxes. The city maintains the service and does all repair work, except to supply new parts for the Kinloch's equipment.
The city pays the Kinloch \$222.31 a year under the contract. Thus in five years the city would pay the Kinloch an amount equal to the total cost of a new system operated entirely by the city.

Thompson's Explanation.
Thompson said to a Post-Dispatch reporter this morning that the Police Board would follow a "slow and careful" policy in its action on the telephone service, which he termed a "vital matter." He said the record of the board's action contained nothing to warrant city officials in the assumption that the board's former action would be set aside.

He referred the reporter to Elias Benedict, supervising electrician of the Police Department, who formerly held John's place. Benedict said he thought the rental system superior, in efficiency and economy, to city ownership. He pointed out that the city, starting out with new equipment, would in a few years be at a large expense for replacing the equipment, whereas the Kinloch company keeps new equipment supplied wherever it is needed. He also said that, with a city system, the Police Department would still have to rent a considerable number of Kinloch telephones.

See us on our special low price offer on refrigerators and gas ranges. Geller, Ward & Hauser Hdw. Co., 412-414 N. 4th.

McElroy-Sloan Shoe Co. Shipments Increase \$700,000 in 8 Months.
At the close of business August 31st, the books of McElroy-Sloan Shoe Co. of St. Louis showed an increase of \$702,666.95 over the amount of business to January 1st.

This amount is the accumulation of uninterrupted consecutive gains during each of the first 8 months of this year—a record maintained without break for over a year and a half.

Notwithstanding that August, 1915, was the record August of their history, the month just closed rolled up a still greater total—gaining \$15,780.40 over last August's business.

A remarkable showing is undoubtedly the result of real merit, and excellence in the McElroy-Sloan shoes—Masterbilts, Billkins, Feather-treds and Miracles—the "Great Combined Specialty Line" that is making St. Louis famous as a shoe center.—ADY.

Train Kills Illinois Man.
Joseph Morris, 55 years old, a Civil War veteran, was killed at 6:35 p. m. yesterday when he was struck by a B. & O. 5-V fast train at Summerfield, Ill. where he had been making his home. He was a resident of St. Louis for many years. The funeral will be held from Jefferson Barracks.

Famous-Barr Co. Will Remain Open Till 6 P. M. Saturday

Beginning tomorrow this store will resume its usual hours on Saturdays and will remain open until 6:00 P. M.

The Final Call Saturday on Light and Medium Weight

SUITS FOR MEN

ALSO SIZES FOR YOUNG MEN

Offering Original \$15, \$18 and \$20

Kinds at the Extremely Low Price of

We have grouped all remaining short lots of Spring and Summer Suits that originally were in our unsurpassed \$15, \$18 and \$20 lines and for final disposition offer you choice of any Saturday at this absurdly low price.

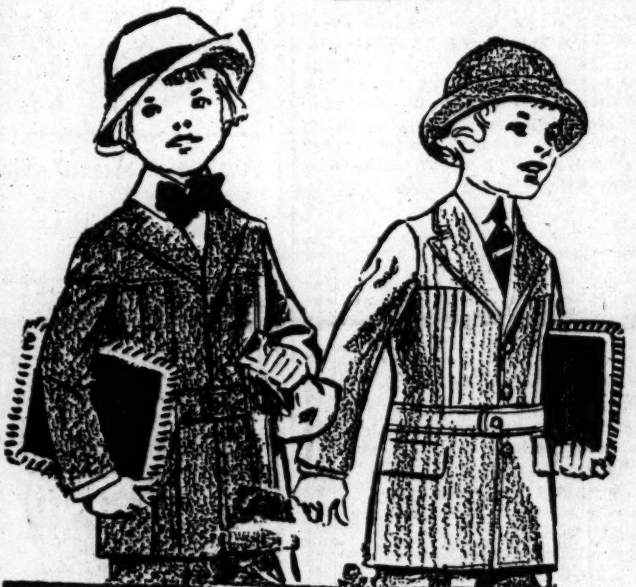
Several hundred Suits in the lot, many dark colored, medium weights, suitable for Fall wear. All sorts of patterns and color effects to please every taste. No matter which one you choose, you are bound to secure a remarkable value. Of course, in a sale of this kind, early choosing is advantageous. We, therefore, advise you to be among the first comers Saturday. While they last, choice of any Suit in this excellent collection for

Second Floor

\$9.00

Bring the Boys Direct to Famous-Barr Co. Saturday for
BOYS' BEST SCHOOL CLOTHES

Here are St. Louis' largest and best chosen stocks and values that cannot be duplicated elsewhere in all St. Louis on clothes of equal excellence and character.



Boys' Two Pants Suits
Newest Norfolk models in 15 different styles; of gray and brown wool cheviots; coats, pin-back, knickerbockers, full cut, 6 to 17..

Boys' Blue Serge Suits
Norfolk coats, pin-back effect; lined with serge; knickerbockers, full lined; pure worsted, fast blue serge; unsquealed under \$7.50; at \$5.50

"Academy Clothes"
Sold in St. Louis exclusively by this store; of all-wool fabrics and distinctive patterns; coats in the new, neat, pin-back model; 2 pair knickerbockers, lined; sizes 8 to 19..

Boys' Corduroy Suits
Norfolk style, good quality corduroy; in fast color, color drab shade; splendidly tailored; sizes 7 to 18; at \$4.95

Boys' Knickers
Fast color blue serges, wool casimere, and cheviots, in stripes and mixtures; lined; sizes 6 to 18; at \$1.39

Boys' Knickers
Newest Fall stripes and mixtures in medium and dark wool mixed casimere; full lined; sizes 6 to 18..

Boys' New Reefer Topcoats
The very thing for cooler mornings and evenings; pin-back sport models of blue serges; black and white club checks and fancy Scotch mixtures, in gray, tan and brown; sizes 2 to 10; special values at \$3.25 to \$5.75

Boys' New Novelty Suits
Becoming new effects for the youngsters, 1 1/2 to 5 years old; Junior Norfolk, Tommy Tuckers and other styles; of blue serges and fancy fabrics in various patterns and combinations; splendid values at \$2.95, \$3.95 and \$4.95

Second Floor

Boys' \$1.50 Felt Hats
Saturday Only, Special for
\$1.15
Telescope and creased crowns; black, brown, gray, green and tan.
Main Floor, Aisle 8

Boys' \$1 Cloth Hats
Saturday Only, Special for
72c
Balmacaan, black or white checks, gray and covert cloth, four styles.
Main Floor, Aisle 8

Boys' Solid Color Shirts, 95c

The very popular green, pink, blue and helio shades—of poplin or crystal cloth—made with soft turnback cuffs—sizes 12 1/2 to 14 neck—special value for Saturday.

Boys' School Blouses, 50c

Crisp new Fall patterns—madras, poplin and mercerized cloths—also dark patterns of woven madras—all sizes, 6 to 16 years
Boys' 15c Separate-Collar-to-Match Shirts.....63c
Boys' 15c Separate-Collar-to-Match Shirts.....78c
Boys' 50c Initial Belts, black or tan.....80c
Boys' Fast Black School Hose.....25c and 35c

Second Floor

MEN'S \$3 NEW FALL HATS

Again
Saturday,
Special
for
\$1.65

An unusual opportunity for you to secure a strictly new and correct Fall Hat, just as the season is opening, at nearly half its rightful worth.

We purchased the entire stock of H. Roller, one of Erie, Pennsylvania's most exclusive \$3 Hat Stores.

Included are this Fall's most authentic styles—
Flat Brim, Fencil Curl, Snap Brim, Welt Edge, Bound Edges and Bow Edges, in Soft Hats—in pearl gray, blue, tan, green and black. The Shift Hats are in black only.

Extreme as well as conservative styles for men and young men. Standard \$3 values, Saturday, choice for \$1.65.

Main Floor, Aisle 8

Advance New Fall Models in
MISSSES' AND JUNIORS' SUITS

Desirable for high school and college wear; St. Louis' best values at

\$19.75 and \$24.75



Girls' School Dresses
Special Values at
\$1.50

Many new and attractive styles. High waist, coat effect, with patent leather belt or full pleated dresses, with belt and pockets. Made of gingham in plaids, Roman stripes and black and white checks; all have long sleeves; sizes 6 to 14.

The Misses Store of St. Louis is ready with the authentic new apparel for Fall wear. Shown in splendid variety are strikingly new Suits, possessing every new feature that fashion has approved. Developed of dependable serges, poplins, gabardines, diagonals in Burgundy, navy, olive, brown and black. Expertly tailored throughout. Sizes 14, 16, 18 and 20.

Charming New Serge Frocks at \$16.75

Sparkling with newness and style; modeled on youthful lines. The styles include high, long and medium waists with large and conspicuous belts; small and wide pleats—some models pleated throughout. Collars and cuffs of satin, Georgette or light flannel—in white or bright hues. Liberal use of embroidery also adds to their beauty.
Sizes 14, 16, 18 and 20..

\$16.75

Other splendid values in Serge Dresses for misses at \$10 to \$39.75.

Girls' Middy Dresses
Special Value at 98c

Girls' \$3.95 School Coats,
\$2.90

Popular School Dresses of navy blue, Copenhaven and white linen blouses with detachable blue skirts; trimmed with braid and buttons; long sleeves; sizes 6 to 14.

Famous-Barr Co.
ENTIRE BLOCK, OLIVE, LOCUST, SIXTH AND SEVENTH STS.
Largest Distributors of Merchandise at We Give Eagle Stamps and Redeem Fall Books for \$2 in Cash
Retail in Missouri or the West

Men's \$3.50 New Fall
SHOES

Saturday,
Special
at, Pair
\$2.80

Fifteen new and desirable shapes; tan, gunmetal and patent; button, lace and Blucher styles; all sizes and widths. Footwear of quality and a very unusual value at Saturday's price.

Second Floor

American Heavy Car Type
AUTO CASINGS

at 50% Off

Subject to stock on hand. These are not seconds.
Quantity Size Q D Clinechers—plain \$29.70 \$19.05
7 36x4 1/2 Q D Clinechers—plain \$30.10 \$15.05
1 37x4 1/2 Q D Clinechers—plain \$31.20 \$15.65
4 35x5 Q D Clinechers—plain \$33.85 \$16.93
Havoline Oil—light, medium or heavy—5-gallon can, \$1.05.

Second Floor

For Misses and Children
Velvet Hats, \$1.75

Just the thing for school wear. They come in black, red, navy, brown and green. Trimmed with fur.

Third Floor.

A First Glimpse
of Fall Fashions
Some of the Smart Fall Models in Suits
and Caps—In
NEXT SUNDAY'S POST-DISPATCH
For the programs of the leading moving
picture houses next week see the first
Want Page Sunday.

ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH

St. Louisan Famous Abroad
Unknown Here at Home
He is pastor of a small church in the
suburbs. See the
NEXT SUNDAY'S POST-DISPATCH
When studying the question of Home selec-
tion do not overlook the 1800 Home Offers in
the Big Sunday directory.

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ST. LOUIS, FRIDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 1, 1916.—PART TWO.

PAGES 18-20.

Doctor Says Nuxated Iron Will Increase Strength of Delicate People 200% in Ten Days

In many instances—Persons have suffered
until agony for years doctoring for
nervous weakness, stomach, liver or kid-
ney disease or some other ailment when
they really needed was lack of iron in
the blood—How to tell.

In a recent discourse Dr. E. Sauer, a
well-known specialist who has studied
widely both in this country and Europe
said: "If you were to make an actual
test on all people who are ill you
would probably be greatly astonished at
the exceedingly large number who lack
iron and who are ill for no other reason
than the lack of iron. The moment iron
is supplied all their multitude of danger-
ous symptoms disappear. Without iron
the blood at once loses the power to
change food into living tissue and there-
fore sustains you and does you any good;
you don't get the strength out of it. Your
food merely passes through your system
like corn through a mill with the millers
so wide apart that the mill can't grind.
As a result of this continuous
flow and the starvation, people be-
come generally weakened, nervous and
all run down and frequently develop all
sorts of conditions. One is too thin;
another is burdened with unhealthy fat;
some are so weak they can hardly walk;
some think they have dyspepsia, kidney
or liver trouble, some can't sleep at
night, others are sleepy and tired all
day, some fussy and irritable, some
shaky and bloodless, but all lack phys-
ical power and endurance. In such cases,
it is worse than foolishness to take
stimulating medicines or narcotic drugs,
which only whip up your flagging vital
powers for the moment, and at the
expense of your life later on. No matter
what any one tells you, if you are not
strong and well you owe it to yourself
to make the following test. See how
long you can work or how far you can
walk without becoming tired. Next take
two five-grain tablets of ordinary nux-
ated iron three times per day after

meals for two weeks. Then test your
strength again and see for yourself how
much you have gained. I have seen
dozens of nervous run down people who
were failing all the time double, and
even triple, their strength and endurance
and entirely get rid of their symptoms
of dyspepsia, liver and other troubles
in from ten to fourteen days time simply
by taking iron in the proper form, and
this after they had in some cases been
doctoring for months without obtaining
any benefit. You can talk as you please
about all the wonders wrought by new
remedies, but when you come down to
hard facts there is nothing like good old
iron to put color in your cheeks and good
sound, healthy flesh on your bones. It
is also a great nerve and stomach
strengthening and the best blood builder
in the world. The only trouble was that
the old forms of inorganic iron like
tincture of iron, iron acetate, etc., often
ruined people's teeth, upset their stom-
achs and were not assimilated and for
these reasons they frequently did more
harm than good. But with the discovery
of the newer forms of organic iron all
of these troubles have been overcome. Nuxated iron
for example, is pleasant to take, does not
injure the teeth and is almost im-
mediately beneficial.

NOTE—The manufacturers of Nuxated
iron have such unbounded confidence in
its potency that they authorize the an-
nouncement that they will forfeit \$100.00
to any charitable institution if they can-
not take any man or woman under sixty
who lacks iron and increase their
strength 200 per cent or over in four
weeks time, provided they have no
serious organic trouble. Also they will
refund your money in any case in which
Nuxated iron does not at least double
your strength in ten days time. It is
dispensed in this city by J. J. & J. J. & J. J.
Drug Co., Wolf-Wilson Drug Co., John-
son-Riederer-Pauler Drug Co. and all
other druggists.—ADV.

PITTSBURG MAN ELECTED COMMANDER OF THE G. A. R.

William J. Patterson to Succeed Capt.
Monfort—Next Encampment Will
Be Held in Boston.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Sept. 1.—William
J. Patterson of Pittsburg, Pa., was
elected commander in chief of the
Grand Army of the Republic at the an-
nual encampment here today. He suc-
ceeds Capt. Elias R. Monfort of Cin-
cinnati.

A visit from Charles E. Hughes, the
Republican presidential nominee, will
feature the session of the G. A. R. this
afternoon.

A camp fire of the National Associa-
tion of ex-Prisoners of War will close
the fiftieth annual encampment tonight.
Boston won the next meeting place of
the session yesterday afternoon.

Diamond Rings, Pay \$1 a Week.
Lofus Bros. & Co., 24 ft. 308 N. 4th st.

Former Political Writer Dies.
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Sept. 1.—Wal-
ter A. Evans, 49 years old, for many
years a political writer on a Kansas
City newspaper and widely known
throughout the State in political cir-
cles, died here last night from apoplexy.

Under the Hadley administration
Evans was appointed State Coal Oil
Inspector. At the time of his death
he was a member of the Kansas City
Fire and Water Board.

700 CHILDREN GIVE "THE PIED PIPER" IN FOREST PARK

Pantomime Is Feature of Cele-
bration Closing the Play-
grounds Season.

ATHLETIC CONTESTS HELD

Elmer Runge of Columbus
Square Is Declared Best Indi-
vidual Contestant.

A pantomime adopted from Brown-
ing's "The Pied Piper of Hamelin,"
was presented on the "As You Like
It" stage in Forest Park yesterday
afternoon by 700 children in celebra-
tion of the closing of the city's pub-
lic playgrounds season.

The performance, which was a riot
of color, followed the author's story
accurately, and consisted of well-ex-
ecuted dances stepped to tuneful airs.
The opening scene represented the
market place in Hamelin, where mer-
chants and buyers were driven from
the stalls, and children from their
games by rats, which ate the food
and wares for sale, and gnawed at
people's ankles. Dances executed in
this scene were a children's polka,
German Klap, Russian, Dutch and
Spanish.

The Pied Piper, impersonated by
Miss Agnes Cady, dancing supervisor
for the playgrounds, entered and bar-
gained with the town officials to re-
move the rats, and, upon their
reaching terms, piped the rats to the
River Weser, where they were
drowned. The townspeople were
overjoyed to be rid of the rodents,
but, when the piper returned for his
compensation, they ridiculed him, and
refused to pay. He thereupon played
another tune on his lute, and led the
children of the town into the moun-
tains, except a little lame boy, who
was unable to keep up with the hap-
py band following the piper, and who
returned to the village in tears to
advise the mothers of the loss of
their children.

Plays Role of Lame Boy.
The role of the lame boy was
played by Melvin Kindermann, 10
years old, 1112 North Twenty-fourth
street, who is lame, his left leg be-
ing withered as the result of a fall
he sustained in infancy.

Few in the audience realized that the
boy was really lame, and his acting was
roundly applauded; but his lameness,
his crutches, his inability to keep up
with his comrades are all very real to
Melvin. However, he was evidently
very proud of his stellar role yesterday,
and the tears he shed on returning to
the town alone were unreal.

The second scene was set in the moun-
tains, where the piper had enticed the
children. Here the girls, dressed to re-
present violets, butterflies and poppies,
and the boys to represent grasshoppers,
did several pretty dances.

The poppies were represented by 80
girls from the negro playgrounds of
the city, who danced barefooted. They
had their part, too, in the ensemble
and received more applause than any of
the other performers. A number of the
best front seats for the audience were
occupied by negroes.

Toward the end of the dance of the
poppies the piper stepped to the edge
of the stage and motioned, as if signaling
for someone to come, and the repentant
townspeople entered to claim their chil-
dren.

Rodows Abeken, Superintendent of
Recreation, directed the performance.
The costumes, for the most part, were
made by the playgrounds instructors
and their assistants, who used cheese-
cloth and Easter egg dyes very effec-
tively.

Athletic Contests Held.
The rest of the day was devoted to
athletic contests which were held on a
field between the Pagoda Lake and the
Lindell pavilion. This field presented
a tournament appearance. It was roped
and on either side of it stretched tents
with flags and banners, where the
teams from the different playgrounds
had their quarters.

The Carr Park team won the dodge-
ball and end-hall contests; Gamble Play-
ground won at indoor baseball and De
Soto Playground at net handball. Co-
lumbus Square won the point pennant
and Elmer Runge, 14, 720 North Fourth
street, was declared the best indi-
vidual contestant.

Park Commissioner Nelson Cunliff dis-
tributed the badges and pennants.
A crowd variously estimated at from
700 to 15,000 attended the exercises.
Probably 8,000 people saw "The Pied
Piper."

POLICE BOARD OUSTER UPHELD

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Sept. 1.—Gov. W.
F. Painter's action in removing Dr. U.
G. Crandell and Joseph L. McDonald as
Police Commissioners of St. Joseph, was
sustained by the Circuit Court here late
yesterday. Application for a writ of
superedeas by Crandell and McDonald
will be made to the Supreme Court to-
day.

The Supreme Court's ruling on a su-
peredeas will decide whether the old or
the new Police Board named by Acting
Gov. Painter will have custody of the
department pending ruling on the appeal
by the Supreme Court.

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IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT

The management of the HEINK Conservatory of Music, in order to
meet the demand caused by the increasing enrollment of students, an-
nounces the engagement of additional teachers as follows:

Dr. James Roach (tenor soloist and musical director of the Cathedral)
as head of Vocal Department; Adele Neuwald (principal of Newwald Piano
School) as first assistant Piano Department; Beanie Kohl, Esther Boesch,
Ruby Urban (Piano Department); Mary Gerhardt, Millie Asmann, Viola
Doerr (Primary Department).

SPECIAL NOTICE TO MUSIC STUDENTS

The HEINK Conservatory of Music in reply to applicants for schol-
arships beg to say, that: No more free scholarships will be issued for this sea-
son. Applicants for partially free scholarships must personally present them-
selves between Aug. 29 and Sept. 15 (on week-days only), from 11-1 or 4-5, at
office of institution, Studio Bldg. (former Beethoven Bldg.), Taylor and Olive
streets. (Phone—Forest 685.) Bring sheet music necessary for examination.
Start Next Tuesday.

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Special practical courses preparing students for a position as Secre-
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St. Louis' leading business firms employ our students
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If you mean business act to-day. Phone or write.
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Loyal Aids

Members of an office force anxious to protect the interests of their employer proved so zealous that in the end each suspected the other of dishonesty and treason.

By Harold Carter.

It had been a slashing day on the exchange. Interests which Jephson had thought at enmity had come to terms. Jephson was ruined. It was the last episode of a long-drawn-out fight against him, in which he had fought 20 times his wealth, had fought a losing battle for weeks, culminating in this day. Bitterly Jephson reflected that some day in his office had betrayed him. It was Edgar, his clerk, most probably. Jephson smiled cynically as he thought. He had watched the suave assistant cashier his papers together. "We're done for, sir," said Edgar. "I think so," answered Jephson calmly. Miss Garrett, his stenographer, put the cover on her typewriter. The clerks in the outer room had already departed. Each was under a month's notice, issued at the beginning of the fight, and revocable in case of victory. They had mostly found other berths long since. "Edgar," said Jephson suddenly, "you have got another position?" "No, sir. I thought I'd stay as long as you wanted me." "That will do," said the ruined man, with a sudden outbreak of temper. "You can go. It is no use coming back. I will send you a check tomorrow." Edgar took his hat and left the room. Miss Garrett put on hers and went to the ladies' room to put on her veil. Jephson was left alone. He had taken him years to jump from obscurity into the light of publicity. He had had fifty millions at one time. The battle had been a grim one. He had planned to dominate the street and the street had swept him away and taken what he had made. Jephson smiled. Some day he would come back, but now— "I beg your pardon, Mr. Jephson." Edgar was standing at his side. Jephson looked up with a frown. "I have reason to believe that Miss Garrett has violated your confidence," "Reason?" queried Jephson. "That confidential paper about O. & F. disappeared from my desk last week. It was the key to the situation. I had taken the precaution to make a copy. I found the original this afternoon hidden in Miss Garrett's notebook. I had suspected a leakage for a long time. Here is the original, Mr. Jephson, and perhaps you will recognize Miss Garrett's writing in these pencil notes along the margin."

War Myths and Legends

It is in periods of great stress and trial, and especially in time of war, that the legends of myths and miracles usually have their origin, to be handed down through credulous generations. War—even the scientific carnage of the present—appeals to the most primitive emotions of mankind. The reign of reason is temporarily overthrown and men return "to sit in superstition and believe again the old-tales of the mythical and the marvelous." Scores of legends of supernatural intervention have sprung up during this war and have found a multitude of ready believers. The Russians are the most prolific of myth makers, and according to the tales that are told around the campfires and in peasant households, saints without number have returned to give their counsel and guidance to the soldiers of the Czar. The Germans, especially those of the South, have displayed a similar fertility of pious imagination. The freethinking Frenchman of the city scoffs at such notions, but the peasant soldiers of "la republique" fervently believe that Joan of Arc has often reappeared in the flesh and led the French to victory. Perhaps the most remarkable of these myths, that dealing with the miraculous appearance at Mons of St. George and the bowmen of Agincourt, who saved the British from annihilation, has found ready credence in England, although it has now been demonstrated that this legend originated in a clever bit of fiction written by Arthur Machan and originally published in the London Evening News, and was a literary invention pure and simple.

The Rev. E. R. Clemmens, pastor of the Montgomery Baptist Church, Montgomery, Pa., performed the first wedding ever in the church, which is now a year old, when he married Miss Elsie Slaton, of Colmar, to John K. Lockwood, of Philadelphia.

Work has been begun in Egypt on a project for draining and reclaiming 1,000,000 acres of land, one of the greatest and costliest tasks of the kind ever attempted.

Ask yourself these questions about your poor complexion

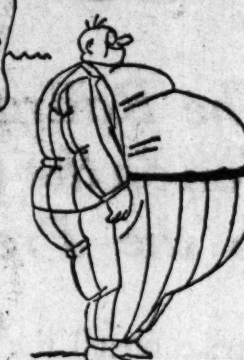
"Why must I endure these unsightly pimples and blotches?" "How do other girls keep their skins clear and make themselves welcome where I am avoided?" "Isn't there some way to improve my complexion that will not cost more money and time than I can afford to spend?" You can give yourself this answer: "I believe the simple, but thorough, daily use of Resinol Soap, aided perhaps by a little Resinol Ointment, will be all you need to restore your unattractive skin to its natural healthy beauty. Don't worry—act!"

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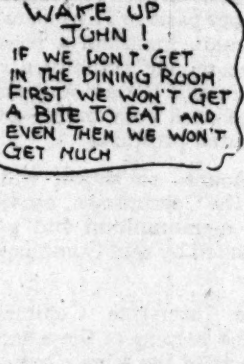
THE FOOD THEY GIVE IN THIS COUNTRY BOARDING HOUSE IS WONDERFUL IF I EAT ONE MORE MEAL I'LL BURST



I AM GETTING SO FAT I WON'T BE ABLE TO CRAWL INTO MY FLAT WHEN WE GO BACK TO TOWN



WAKE UP JOHN! IF WE DON'T GET IN THE DINING ROOM FIRST WE'LL GET A BITE TO EAT EVEN THEN WE WON'T GET MUCH



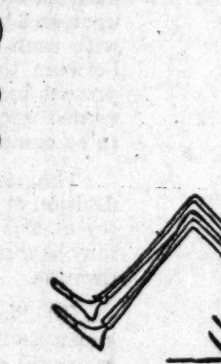
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The Silly Puppy

By Mrs. F. A. Walker.

FIDO PUPPY was a very wise puppy, so he thought, but he was very young and would find he had a great deal to learn so Pete Sparrow told him. One morning very early Fido Puppy bounded out of the house, followed by his master, and they went toward the woods. "I wonder where they are going this early in the day?" said Pete Sparrow. "I don't know," said Fido Puppy. "I guess I'll fly along and see what they are up to." Pete flew along over their heads, stopping now and then to see what Fido and his master were doing. But they seemed only bent upon walking in the cool of the morning and Pete Sparrow thought after all he had taken the trouble of following for nothing. But pretty soon Fido Puppy ran ahead of his master and was lost to sight in the woods. Away went Pete Sparrow after him, and found Fido Puppy standing by the brink of a pool of black looking water under some trees. On a log sticking up from the pool sat Mrs. Frog and her five little froggies. "Bow-wow-wow!" barked Fido Puppy at them, but Mrs. Frog had taught her children not to jump at anything when they were on a log surrounded by water; that is, nothing that barked.

COCOANUT OIL FINE FOR WASHING HAIR

If you want to keep your hair in good condition, be careful what you wash it with.

Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and is very harmful. Just plain unadulterated coconut oil (which is pure and easily absorbed) is much better than the most expensive soap or anything else you can use for shampooing, as this can't possibly injure the hair. Simply moisten your hair with water and rub it in. One or two teaspoonfuls will make an abundance of rich, creamy lather, and cleanses the hair and scalp thoroughly. The lather rinses out easily, and removes every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excessive oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves it fine and silky, bright, fluffy and easy to manage. You can get multifid coconut oil at almost any drug store. It is very cheap, and a few ounces is enough to last everyone in the family for months.—ADV.

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"He didn't mean that frogs would drown," said Pete Sparrow, and while he was talking to Fido Puppy off the log went Mrs. Frog and her froggies into the deep, dark pool. "There, I told you they would drown," said Fido, looking at the water for a minute. "Where are they if they are not drowned?" "They are very likely sitting on the bottom of the pool eating their breakfast and laughing at you for thinking you could scare them," said Pete Sparrow.

Just then Mrs. Frog appeared on the log again, and without waiting to ask more questions into the pool jumped footless Fido Puppy. "They shall learn not to laugh at me, he thought, as he jumped. "Oh, oh, oh!" cried Pete Sparrow from the tree, and off he flew, feeling sure Fido Puppy would drown.

"Up came Fido Puppy to the top of the pool, shaking his head, and gave one loud cry just as he sank again. But, fortunately for him, his master was near and saw what was happening, and into the pool he went and grabbed Fido Puppy by the neck and shook the water off him.

"What were you trying to do, you silly pup?" said his master. "You will be drowned some day if you try that before you learn how to swim."

Fido ate his breakfast and curled up for a nap in the sun, for he was not quite dry, when from the tree he heard Pete Sparrow say, "They shall learn not to laugh at me, he thought, as he jumped. "Oh, oh, oh!" cried Pete Sparrow from the tree, and off he flew, feeling sure Fido Puppy would drown.

"I just came out the way Mrs. Frog did," said Fido Puppy, looking at Pete with one eye. "It is easy enough when you know how to swim."

"But I didn't think you could swim," said Pete Sparrow, looking at Fido with his sharp eyes. Pete looked at him a minute and then flew away. "Such airs as those puppies give themselves when they begin to grow. I wish I had stayed by the pool and seen just what did happen."

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The "Soaring" Nickel.

WHEN the world was at peace the cost of the metal in a nickel coin was less than 2c; now it is 6c. The demand for nickel has increased the price. If this condition continues the 5c coin will soon disappear from circulation. Or the size of the coin will be reduced. Not even a rich Government like ours can afford to manufacture nickels which contain more than 5c worth of raw material. One concern in the United States controls practically the entire output of nickel. Since the war began this nickel trust has had a gold mine, so to speak.

India ranks sixth among the world's cotton yarn manufacturers, having 600,000 spindles. Three-fourths of these are in the Bombay presidency.

Recipes Worth Trying

Russian Tea—Put 2 teaspoons tea into a fine strainer, pour 1/2 cup of boiling water through to cleanse the grounds; then turn the grounds into the scalded teapot, pour on 1 pint of freshly boiling water. Keep hot 5 minutes. Put 2 cubes of sugar and 1 slice of lemon into the tumblers, half fill with broken ice. Pour on tea and serve. Never let the tea leaves remain in the tea. If desired cold, pour it from the grounds as soon as steeped.

Butter Pie—Three eggs (yolks), 1 tablespoon sifted flour, 1 cup sugar, butter, size of egg, mix above altogether, then 1 cup milk, 1 teaspoon vanilla. Beat all together. Bake as custard pie and serve.

Ginger Wafers—One cup molasses, 1/4 to 1/2 cup butter, suet or chicken fat, 3 cups flour, 1/2 teaspoon soda, 1 tablespoon ginger, 2 teaspoons salt; beat shortening and molasses two minutes; add remaining ingredients mixed; knead stiff. Beat well; chill over night; roll very thin; shape with knife or cutter. Bake on buttered pan or sheet in quick oven eight to 15 minutes.

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Dosens of handsome Silk Georgette Waists, beautifully embroidered, with all the new collar and cuff effects. Many set in price we offer this one big lot of over four hundred Waists at the unusual price of \$2.95. These Waists are not the regular \$3.95 Waists, but very much superior and higher priced.



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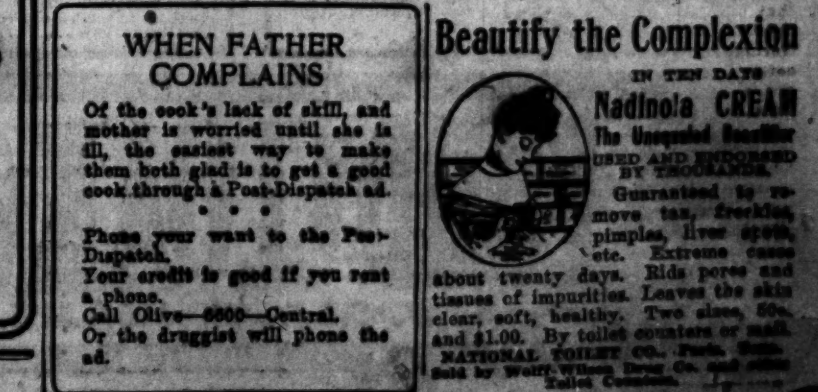
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Be patient and come again tomorrow—better provisions have been made. We have employed sufficient extra salesladies to wait on you more promptly. Take all small parcels with you, as we cannot insure immediate deliveries, and try to come as early as possible in the morning. Doors will open at 9 a. m.

Anticipating a tremendous Fall and Winter business, we did all of our purchasing in the months of July and August—we believed in "preparedness." Then came the opportunity for us to sell our lease. These huge stocks are now in our store and must be sold out at once—WE MEAN BUSINESS—WE MUST VACATE THE PREMISES. Every garment must be sold, regardless of price. That's why we are now holding this big public sale. We emphasize most emphatically, DON'T MISS IT—COME TOMORROW SURE.

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That were made to sell in the regular way at \$14.98, \$16.50, \$17.50, \$19.75—during this sale at

Beaver-trimmed Suits—
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All in the newest Fall length Coat styles, with belts, flares, cape collars, etc.—all colors including navy blue and black—all sizes up to 55-inch bust—**GOING-OUT-OF-BUSINESS PRICE**

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That formerly sold up to \$16.50, will be closed out in this sale tomorrow morning while they last to the early customers at.....

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Georgian sat-
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selling regular-
ly at \$24.50,
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special at.....

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FALL & WINTER COATS

Coats that were made to sell at \$6.98, \$7.98, \$8.98 and \$9.98 will be sold in this sale at

\$2.98

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Windows

Coats we bought to sell at \$10, \$12.50, \$13.75 and \$15 will be closed out in this big sale at

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Come
Early

Coats that ordinarily sell at \$15, \$17.50, \$19.75 and \$22.50, because we must sell out at once,

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Coats

POSITIVELY the largest Coat stock in St. Louis! Included in the sale you will find beautiful Pinuses, Silky Zibelines, Silk Corduroys, wide-wale diagonals, Fur-trimmed Chinchillas, White Duvelines, large Plaids, Novelty Mixtures and fancy checks—new wide flare style—short, 3/4, and full length—sleeves up to 35-inch bust. Every color imaginable. Choice tomorrow, because we are going out of business and MUST close the doors for good, at \$2.98, \$5 and \$9.98.

ALL ODD SKIRTS

Values up to \$10—just about 100 Skirts in the lot—all wide flare styles, in sizes from 22 to 38 inch waist—while the lot lasts Saturday morning, choice at.....

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This includes nearly all the finest Skirts in the house; silk taffetas, gabardines, chudah cloths, satins, serges, etc.; magnificent styles.....

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CHILDREN'S
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Silk Velvets, Plushes, Velours, etc.—all colors—dozens of different styles—Saturday morning, to crowd this department to its capacity, choice at \$1.00.

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300 SILK AND SERGE DRESSES That formerly sold up to \$12.50—in this sale tomorrow.....

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ALL PLANS MADE FOR RECEPTION OF HUGHES TOMORROW

Candidate Will Be Greeted by Leading Republicans in Union Station at 8 A. M.

Complete arrangements for the reception and entertainment of Charles E. Hughes, who will visit St. Louis tomorrow on his way East from his Western tour, were announced this morning by the Republican City Committee.

The candidate on arrival at Union Station at 8 a. m. over the Burlington will be met by a reception committee which will include members of the Republican State and City Committees and citizens of prominence in St. Louis and in the State. Accompanying the candidate will be a party of 25, including Walter S. Dickey, candidate for United States Senator; Henry Lamm, candidate for Governor; Chairman Hukreide of the State Committee and National Committeeman Babler.

Automobiles which will be in waiting at the Twentieth street entrance to the station, will convey the party to the Jefferson Hotel, where Judge and Mrs. Hughes will have breakfast in private.

Route to the Hotel. The route to the hotel will be north on Twentieth street, east on Locust, north on Eighteenth and east on Washington avenue to the Jefferson.

At 10:15 Judge Hughes will be escorted to the Planters Hotel, where he will hold a public reception beginning at 10:30. The route will be south on Twelfth street from the Jefferson Hotel to Olive street, east to Fourth street and south to the Planters.

At 12:15 he will go to the Missouri Athletic Association, where he will speak at a luncheon given by the Business Men's League. Congressman Dyer will preside. Judge Hughes will deliver his first speech in St. Louis at the luncheon.

The committee will escort him from the Missouri Athletic Association at 2 o'clock to Clayton, where he will speak in the courthouse. The party going to Clayton will ride west on Washington to Twelfth street, south to Locust street, west to the Lindell cut-off and out Lindell through Forest Park to Clayton. The return will be over the same route.

Will Speak at Willamette. The candidate and his wife will have dinner in private at the Jefferson Hotel, and afterward will go to the Coliseum, where his principal speech will be delivered at 8 o'clock. The Coliseum manager, chairman of the Republican City Committee, The invocation will be pronounced by the Rev. Grant Robbins. Chairman Schmolli will introduce Judge Lamm, who will introduce Mayor Kiel for the address of welcome. The Mayor will introduce Judge Hughes.

The doors of the Coliseum will be opened at 6:45 p. m. and a band will entertain the crowd until the candidate arrives.

Mrs. Hughes will be greeted by a committee of women who will have charge of her entertainment during the day. She will be the guest of the Town Club at a tea in its rooms in the Railway Exchange building from 2 to 4 in the afternoon.

Judge and Mrs. Hughes plan to remain in St. Louis over Sunday as guests at the home of Thomas K. Niedringhaus, 73 Platteau. It is thought probable that if the order for the railway strike is not called off tomorrow night for New York, but no information along to Clayton in the afternoon. A large force of patrolmen and detectives will be on duty at the Coliseum in the evening, where Hughes will make his principal speech at 8 p. m. Extra traffic officers will regulate the traffic on Washington avenue and Locust street.

Police Arrangements Made. Police arrangements for the Hughes party were made today. Capt. O'Connell, in charge of 20 patrolmen, will police Union Station. A squad of detectives has been assigned to accompany the candidate's party to the Hotel Jefferson, to the Planters Hotel and then to the Missouri Athletic Association. Detectives also will accompany him to Clayton in the afternoon. A large force of patrolmen and detectives will be on duty at the Coliseum in the evening, where Hughes will make his principal speech at 8 p. m. Extra traffic officers will regulate the traffic on Washington avenue and Locust street.

September List of the Columbia Phonograph Co. Received.

De Fachmann's singing tone and "piano-tune" are taught with accuracy on records of the Columbia Phonograph Co. The September Columbia list includes several Chopin compositions by him. The list also includes the initial recordings of Johannes Sebastian in two Wagnerian arias, Lohengrin's Narrative and Siegmund's Love Song, baritone renditions by Louis Grasse, two of Oscar Seagle's songs, the Tannhauser Overture in two parts, two lighter orchestral compositions, a novel trio of banjo, saxophone and piano, Irish reels and jigs on the accordion and Hawaiian guitar duets, and six dance records.

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FOR THE INFORMATION OF THE PUBLIC:

The Railroads' statement of their position on the threatened strike, as presented to the President of the United States

A strike on all the railroads of the country has been called by the Train Brotherhoods for 7 o'clock Monday morning, September 4.

This strike was ordered from Washington while the President of the United States was making every effort to avert the disaster.

The Final Railroad Proposal

The final proposal made by the railroads for a peaceful settlement of the controversy, but which was rejected by the brotherhoods, was as follows:

(a) The railroads will, effective September 1, 1916, keep the time of all men represented in this movement, upon an 8 hour basis and by separate account, monthly, with each man, maintain a record of the difference between the money actually earned by him on the present basis and the amount that would have been earned upon an 8 hour basis—overtime on each basis to be computed pro rata.

The amounts so shown will be subject to the decision of the Commission, provided for in Paragraph (c) of this memorandum and payable in money, as may be directed by said Commission in its findings and decision.

(b) The Interstate Commerce Commission to supervise the keeping of these accounts and report the increased cost of the 8 hour basis, after such period of

actual experience as their judgment approves or the President may fix, not, however, less than three months.

(c) In view of the far-reaching consequences of the declaration made by the President, accepting the 8 hour day, not only upon the railroads and the classes of labor involved directly in this controversy, but to the public and upon all industry, it seems plain that before the existing conditions are changed, the whole subject in so far as it affects the railroads and their employees, should be investigated and determined by a Commission to be appointed by the President, of such standing as to compel attention and respect to its findings. The judgment of such a Commission would be a helpful basis for adjustments with labor and such legislation as intelligent public opinion, so informed, might demand.

Statement of Executives to the President

In submitting this proposal to the President, the fifty railroad executives called to Washington and representing all the great arteries of traffic, made this statement to him of their convictions:

The demands in this controversy have not been presented, in our judgment, for the purpose of fixing a definite daily period of labor, nor a reduction in the existing hours of labor or change in methods of operation, but for the real purpose of accomplishing an increase in wages of approximately One Hundred Million Dollars per annum, or 35 per cent. for the men in railroad freight train and yard service represented by the labor organizations in this matter.

After careful examination of the facts and patient and continuous consultation with the Conference Committee of Managers, and among ourselves, we have reached a clear understanding of the magnitude of the questions, and of the serious consequences to the railroads and to the public, involved in the decision of them.

Trustees for the Public

As trustees for the public served by our lines and for the great mass of the less powerful employees (not less than 80 per cent. of the whole number) interested in the railroad wage fund—as trustees also for the millions of people that have invested their savings and capital in the bonds and stock of these properties, and who through the saving banks, trust companies and insurance companies, are vitally interested to the extent of millions of dollars, in the integrity and solvency of the railroads of the country, we cannot in conscience surrender without a hearing, the principle involved, nor undertake to transfer the enormous cost that will result to the transportation of the commerce of the country.

The eight-hour day without punitive overtime involves an annual increase, approximately, in the aggregate of Sixty Millions of Dollars, and an increase of more than 30 per cent. in the pay of the men, already the most highly paid in the transportation service.

The ultimate cost to the railroads of an admission in this manner of the principle under contention cannot now be estimated; the effect upon the efficiency of the transportation of the country now already under severe test under the tide of business now moving, and at a time when more, instead of less,

effort is required for the public welfare, would be harmful beyond calculation.

The widespread effect upon the industries of the country as a whole is beyond measure or appraisal at this time, and we agree with the insistent and widespread public concern over the gravity of the situation and the consequences of a surrender by the railroads in this emergency.

In like manner we are deeply impressed with the sense of our responsibility to maintain and keep open the arteries of transportation, which carry the life blood of the commerce of the country, and of the consequences that will flow from even temporary interruption of service over the railroads, but the issues presented have been raised above and beyond the social and monetary questions involved, and the responsibility for the consequences that may arise will rest upon those that provoke it.

Public Investigation Urged

The questions involved are in our respectful judgment, eminently suitable for the calm investigation and decision by the public through the agency of fair arbitration, and cannot be disposed of, to the public satisfaction, in any other manner.

The decision of a Commission or Board of Arbitration, having the public confidence, will be accepted by the public, and the social and financial rearrangements made necessary thereby will be undertaken by the public, but in no less deliberate nor orderly manner.

The railroads of the country cannot under present conditions assume this enormous increase in their expenses. If imposed upon them, it would involve many in early financial embarrassment and bankruptcy and imperil the power of all to maintain their credit and the integrity of their securities.

The immediate increase in cost, followed by other increases that would be inevitable, would substantially appropriate the present purchasing power of the railroads and disable them from expanding and improving their facilities and equipment, to keep abreast of the demands of the country for efficient transportation service.

In good faith we have worked continuously and earnestly in a sincere effort to solve the problem in justice to all the parties at interest. These efforts were still in progress when the issuance of the strike order showed them to be unavailing.

Problem Threatens Democracy Itself

The strike, if it comes, will be forced upon the country by the best paid class of laborers in the world, at a time when the country has the greatest need for transportation efficiency.

The problem presented is not that alone of the railroad or business world, but involving democracy itself, and sharply presents the question whether any group of citizens should be allowed to possess the power to imperil the life of the country by conspiring to block the arteries of commerce.

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FAIRFAX HARRISON,
Southern Railway.

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Union Pacific System.
E. P. RIPLEY,
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MARKETS AND FINANCE

CONFIDENCE NOT ROBUST, AND WHEAT VALUES DROOP

Casting About for Reason, Traders Find Suspicion That War Period Is Likely to Be Shortened--Better Interest in Corn--Oats Slow.

FRIDAY'S COMPARATIVE FUTURE QUOTATIONS.						
Reported by St. Louis Merchants' Exchange.					ST. LOUIS, Sept. 1.	
SEPTEMBER WHEAT						
	Opening.	High.	Low.	Close.	Close, Yesterday.	Close, Last Year.
St. Louis	143 1/2	143 3/4	143 1/4	143 1/2 b	143 1/2	98
Chicago	146 1/2	148 1/4	146 1/4	147 1/4 b	147 1/4	98
Kansas City	147 1/2	149 1/4	147 1/4	148 1/4 b	148 1/4	98
Minneapolis	146 1/2	147 1/4	146 1/4	147 1/4 b	147 1/4	98
Winnipeg	146 1/2	147 1/4	146 1/4	147 1/4 b	147 1/4	98

	Toledo	140a	150a	144a	145a	147a	111a
DECEMBER WEAT.							
St. Louis	140a 1/2	147 1/2 a 1/2 b	137 1/2	142 1/2	145b	102 1/2	102 1/2
Chicago	141 1/2	148 1/2	137 1/2	143 1/2	146 1/2 a 1/2 b	103 1/2	103 1/2
Kansas City	143 1/2	142 1/2	145 1/2	137 1/2	140 1/2	89 1/2	89 1/2
Minneapolis	152 1/2	145 1/2	154	140 1/2	140 1/2	100 1/2	101 1/2
Toledo	154 1/2	154 1/2	150 1/2	150 1/2	150 1/2	111 1/2	111 1/2
WHEAT.							
St. Louis	140	140 1/2 b	144 1/2	145 1/2 b	148	90 1/2	90 1/2
Chicago	148 1/2	148 1/2	149 1/2	149 1/2 b 1/2	148 1/2 a	90 1/2	90 1/2

Kansas City	140	111	122	121	122	124
Minneapolis	150	139	139	151	152	154
Toledo	160	100	100	154	151	164
SEPTEMBER CORN.						
St. Louis		87 1/2	88 1/4	89 1/4	89 1/2	79 1/2
Chicago	87 1/2	87 1/2	88 1/4	89 1/4	89 1/2	79 1/2
Kansas City	80 1/2	80 1/2	80 1/4	80 1/4	80 1/4	60
DECEMBER CORN.						
St. Louis		73 1/2	73 1/2	71 1/4	72 1/2	55 1/2
Chicago	73 1/2	73 1/2	73 1/2	71 1/4	72 1/2	55 1/2
Kansas City		71 1/2	71 1/2	71 1/2	71 1/2	54 1/2

MAY CORN.							
St. Louis	76 1/2	69 1/2 a	72 1/2 a	73 1/2 a	76 1/2 b	87 1/2 c	
Chicago	76 1/2 @ 4 1/2	77 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2	76 1/2		
Kansas City	75 1/2 @ 4 1/2	75	74 1/2 b	75 1/2 b	76 1/2 b	86 1/2 c	
75 1/2 74 1/2 @ 4 1/2							
DECEMBER OATS.							
St. Louis	45 1/2 @ 4 1/2	45 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2 b	83 1/2 c	
Chicago	45 1/2 @ 4 1/2	45 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2 a	44 1/2 b	83 1/2 c	
DECEMBER OATS.							
St. Louis	45 1/2 @ 4 1/2	45 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2 b	83 1/2 c	
Chicago	45 1/2 @ 4 1/2	45 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2 b	83 1/2 c	

Chicago	51 1/2-52 1/2				
MAT OATS.					
St. Louis	50 1/2-51 1/2	50m	50 1/2m		
Chicago	51 1/2-52 1/2	50m	50 1/2m	50 3/4m	51m

Viewing the railway strike question as no longer among probabilities as a factor in speculation, grain interests to-day fell upon foreign politics as an

Wheat strong, Corn Unsteady Above
LIVERPOOL Sept. 1.—Spot wheat strong 24 1/2d. No. 1. Hard, 24 1/2d. No. 2, 24 1/4d. No. 3, 24 1/4d. No. 4, 24 1/4d. No. 5, 24 1/4d. No. 6, 24 1/4d. No. 7, 24 1/4d. No. 8, 24 1/4d. No. 9, 24 1/4d. No. 10, 24 1/4d. No. 11, 24 1/4d. No. 12, 24 1/4d. No. 13, 24 1/4d. No. 14, 24 1/4d. No. 15, 24 1/4d. No. 16, 24 1/4d. No. 17, 24 1/4d. No. 18, 24 1/4d. No. 19, 24 1/4d. No. 20, 24 1/4d. No. 21, 24 1/4d. No. 22, 24 1/4d. No. 23, 24 1/4d. No. 24, 24 1/4d. No. 25, 24 1/4d. No. 26, 24 1/4d. No. 27, 24 1/4d. No. 28, 24 1/4d. No. 29, 24 1/4d. No. 30, 24 1/4d. No. 31, 24 1/4d. No. 32, 24 1/4d. No. 33, 24 1/4d. No. 34, 24 1/4d. No. 35, 24 1/4d. No. 36, 24 1/4d. No. 37, 24 1/4d. No. 38, 24 1/4d. No. 39, 24 1/4d. No. 40, 24 1/4d. No. 41, 24 1/4d. No. 42, 24 1/4d. No. 43, 24 1/4d. No. 44, 24 1/4d. No. 45, 24 1/4d. No. 46, 24 1/4d. No. 47, 24 1/4d. No. 48, 24 1/4d. No. 49, 24 1/4d. No. 50, 24 1/4d. No. 51, 24 1/4d. No. 52, 24 1/4d. No. 53, 24 1/4d. No. 54, 24 1/4d. No. 55, 24 1/4d. No. 56, 24 1/4d. No. 57, 24 1/4d. No. 58, 24 1/4d. No. 59, 24 1/4d. No. 60, 24 1/4d. No. 61, 24 1/4d. No. 62, 24 1/4d. No. 63, 24 1/4d. No. 64, 24 1/4d. No. 65, 24 1/4d. No. 66, 24 1/4d. No. 67, 24 1/4d. No. 68, 24 1/4d. No. 69, 24 1/4d. No. 70, 24 1/4d. No. 71, 24 1/4d. No. 72, 24 1/4d. No. 73, 24 1/4d. No. 74, 24 1/4d. No. 75, 24 1/4d. No. 76, 24 1/4d. No. 77, 24 1/4d. No. 78, 24 1/4d. No. 79, 24 1/4d. No. 80, 24 1/4d. No. 81, 24 1/4d. No. 82, 24 1/4d. No. 83, 24 1/4d. No. 84, 24 1/4d. No. 85, 24 1/4d. No. 86, 24 1/4d. No. 87, 24 1/4d. No. 88, 24 1/4d. No. 89, 24 1/4d. No. 90, 24 1/4d. No. 91, 24 1/4d. No. 92, 24 1/4d. No. 93, 24 1/4d. No. 94, 24 1/4d. No. 95, 24 1/4d. No. 96, 24 1/4d. No. 97, 24 1/4d. No. 98, 24 1/4d. No. 99, 24 1/4d. No. 100, 24 1/4d. No. 101, 24 1/4d. No. 102, 24 1/4d. No. 103, 24 1/4d. No. 104, 24 1/4d. No. 105, 24 1/4d. No. 106, 24 1/4d. No. 107, 24 1/4d. No. 108, 24 1/4d. No. 109, 24 1/4d. No. 110, 24 1/4d. No. 111, 24 1/4d. No. 112, 24 1/4d. No. 113, 24 1/4d. No. 114, 24 1/4d. No. 115, 24 1/4d. No. 116, 24 1/4d. No. 117, 24 1/4d. No. 118, 24 1/4d. No. 119, 24 1/4d. No. 120, 24 1/4d. No. 121, 24 1/4d. No. 122, 24 1/4d. No. 123, 24 1/4d. No. 124, 24 1/4d. No. 125, 24 1/4d. No. 126, 24 1/4d. No. 127, 24 1/4d. No. 128, 24 1/4d. No. 129, 24 1/4d. No. 130, 24 1/4d. No. 131, 24 1/4d. No. 132, 24 1/4d. No. 133, 24 1/4d. No. 134, 24 1/4d. No. 135, 24 1/4d. No. 136, 24 1/4d. No. 137, 24 1/4d. No. 138, 24 1/4d. No. 139, 24 1/4d. No. 140, 24 1/4d. No. 141, 24 1/4d. No. 142, 24 1/4d. No. 143, 24 1/4d. No. 144, 24 1/4d. No. 145, 24 1/4d. No. 146, 24 1/4d. No. 147, 24 1/4d. No. 148, 24 1/4d. No. 149, 24 1/4d. No. 150, 24 1/4d. No. 151, 24 1/4d. No. 152, 24 1/4d. No. 153, 24 1/4d. No. 154, 24 1/4d. No. 155, 24 1/4d. No. 156, 24 1/4d. No. 157, 24 1/4d. No. 158, 24 1/4d. No. 159, 24 1/4d. No. 160, 24 1/4d. No. 161, 24 1/4d. No. 162, 24 1/4d. No. 163, 24 1/4d. No. 164, 24 1/4d. No. 165, 24 1/4d. No. 166, 24 1/4d. No. 167, 24 1/4d. No. 168, 24 1/4d. No. 169, 24 1/4d. No. 170, 24 1/4d. No. 171, 24 1/4d. No. 172, 24 1/4d. No. 173, 24 1/4d. No. 174, 24 1/4d. No. 175, 24 1/4d. No. 176, 24 1/4d. No. 177, 24 1/4d. No. 178, 24 1/4d. No. 179, 24 1/4d. No. 180, 24 1/4d. No. 181, 24 1/4d. No. 182, 24 1/4d. No. 183, 24 1/4d. No. 184, 24 1/4d. No. 185, 24 1/4d. No. 186, 24 1/4d. No. 187, 24 1/4d. No. 188, 24 1/4d. No. 189, 24 1/4d. No. 190, 24 1/4d. No. 191, 24 1/4d. No. 192, 24 1/4d. No. 193, 24 1/4d. No. 194, 24 1/4d. No. 195, 24 1/4d. No. 196, 24 1/4d. No. 197, 24 1/4d. No. 198, 24 1/4d. No. 199, 24 1/4d. No. 200, 24 1/4d. No. 201, 24 1/4d. No. 202, 24 1/4d. No. 203, 24 1/4d. No. 204, 24 1/4d. No. 205, 24 1/4d. No. 206, 24 1/4d. No. 207, 24 1/4d. No. 208, 24 1/4d. No. 209, 24 1/4d. No. 210, 24 1/4d. No. 211, 24 1/4d. No. 212, 24 1/4d. No. 213, 24 1/4d. No. 214, 24 1/4d. No. 215, 24 1/4d. No. 216, 24 1/4d. No. 217, 24 1/4d. No. 218, 24 1/4d. No. 219, 24 1/4d. No. 220, 24 1/4d. No. 221, 24 1/4d. No. 222, 24 1/4d. No. 223, 24 1/4d. No. 224, 24 1/4d. No. 225, 24 1/4d. No. 226, 24 1/4d. No. 227, 24 1/4d. No. 228, 24 1/4d. No. 229, 24 1/4d. No. 230, 24 1/4d. No. 231, 24 1/4d. No. 232, 24 1/4d. No. 233, 24 1/4d. No. 234, 24 1/4d. No. 235, 24 1/4d. No. 236, 24 1/4d. No. 237, 24 1/4d. No. 238, 24 1/4d. No. 239, 24 1/4d. No. 240, 24 1/4d. No. 241, 24 1/4d. No. 242, 24 1/4d. No. 243, 24 1/4d. No.

element in the war as one having
weight bearing upon the near future
market course. They figured that Greece
would enter the conflict against the
Teutonic allies and, as every little helps
this would mean a reduction of the
war period. Billed down to hard pan,
however, the downturn of values that

2, 1st bid. No. 2 and Western winter. 1st bid.
Corn, 1st bid. 1st bid. 1st bid. 1st bid.
American mixed, new, 10p. 6d.

Argentine Shipments.

	This Week.	Last Week.	Last Yr.
Wheat, bu.	2,490,000	2,262,000	2,978,000
Corn, bu.	1,810,000	800,000	2,000,000

Argentina Jan. 1.

	Last Two Years.	Last Two Yrs.
Wheat	63,100,000	55,700,000
Corn	61,150,000	50,925,000

U.S.	41,434,000	37,400,000	20,765,000
Argentina	1,000,000	1,000,000	1,000,000
U.S. This Week	41,434,000	37,400,000	20,765,000
U.S. Last Week	41,434,000	37,400,000	20,765,000
U.S. 10 Days Ago	41,434,000	37,400,000	20,765,000
Wheat	10,304,000	11,040,000	11,111,000
Corn	15,840,000	16,422,000	13,928,000

Primary Receipts and Shipments.
 Reported by St. Louis Merchants' Exchange.
 ST. LOUIS, Sept. 1.

RECEIPTS.	
Wheat	1,000,000
Corn	1,000,000
Other	1,000,000

	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.
St. Louis	144.00	41.00	71.00
Chicago	143.00	40.00	70.00
Minneapolis	137.50	15.00	38.00
Kansas City	23.00	10.00	34.00
St. Paul	137.00	15.00	38.00
Duluth	137.00	15.00	38.00
Omaha	122.00	81.00	48.00
Des Moines	122.00	81.00	48.00
Peoria	110.00	170.00	40.00
Indianapolis	36.00	113.00	87.00
St. Paul	137.00	15.00	38.00

Total primary	1,544,000	766,000	1,972,000
SHIPMENTS			
Wheat	118,000	41,000	62,000
St. Louis	118,000	41,000	62,000
Chicago	513,000	113,000	646,000
Minneapolis	172,000	5,000	64,000
St. Paul	172,000	5,000	64,000
Milwaukee	6,000	28,000	78,000
Duluth	206,000		

.....	21,000	1,000	22,000
Toledo	4,000	28,000	32,000
Pearla	1,000	2,000	3,000
Indianapolis	1,000	2,000	3,000
Detroit	1,000	7,000	8,000
Total primary	1,500,000	807,000	72,000

There was a fair volume of trading in wheat and corn, but the latter carried leading. It also differed from the late option in that it started with an overnight gain of 5c, while May was a decline of 10c. The latter was due to a cereal section was report of more or less general rain.

Grain arrivals at St. Louis today were 143,500 bu. wheat, against 133,027 on the same date last year; 100,000 bu. corn, against 100,000; 600 bu. compared with 25,400 a year ago; oats, 71,400 bu. against 129,200 last year; hay, 575 tons, compared with 1150 a year ago.

The three Northwestern centers re-

Flour Stocks Heavily Decreased.
Flour inspected in St. Louis during August was 23,057 barrels. Stocks have shown a decrease since last week's report of 69,885 barrels being only 5083 barrels compared with 47,100 on Aug. 1, and 31,800 on Sept. 1, 1915.

Livestock at Pittsburg.
PITTSBURG, Pa., Sept. 1.—Hogs—Receipts, 2500; steady. **Cattle—**Receipts, 100; steady. **Sheep—**Receipts, 100; steady. **Horses—**Receipts, 100; steady. **Poultry—**Receipts, 100; steady. **Dairy—**Receipts, 100; steady. **Grain—**Receipts, 100; steady. **Other—**Receipts, 100; steady.

napolis mills in the last fortnight, the "Delaware" brand of barley was required in New York by Sept. 1, which precluded shipment from the West. The grade sold in this instance was patent. Cash in New York was paid.

Clearances Impeding.
The day's clearances were 1,008,000 bushels wheat, including flour, against 1,000,000 bushels.

Clearances.
Wheat, 1,008,000 bushels; flour, 1,000,000 bushels; barley, 1,000,000 bushels; oats, 1,000,000 bushels; rye, 1,000,000 bushels; corn, 1,000,000 bushels; sorghum, 1,000,000 bushels; rice, 1,000,000 bushels; cotton, 1,000,000 bushels; sugar, 1,000,000 bushels; tobacco, 1,000,000 bushels; other, 1,000,000 bushels.

bushels, against last week: oats,	1510 N. Whittier
377,000 bushels, compared with 544,000 last	Charles Stevens
week.	4264 West Ball at
	Lillian L. Friseman
Weekly clearances reported by Brad-	1500 Bu
street's were: 182,000 bushels wheat and	Lilla Rigali
1,271,000 bushels corn.	3533 North Mark
The Modern Miller says: "Soil condi-	Norman Sherman
tions are now favorable for plowing in	1012 S. 12th
the fall. The plowing is being done	My Connell
in the best of the season.	14224 St. Ann
In Kansas conditions retarded plowing	Johnnie K. Masel
	Alton
	John Edward Schaefer
	1000 N. Jefferson

In August, Spring wheat and Canadian yields confirm lowest estimates of production. Despite high prices, many farmers in winter wheat districts are holding their wheat."

Cash Grain Markets.

Cash wheat was dull, 5c to 3c lower, on the St. Louis market. **Wheat** No. 2, red, 47¢; No. 3, 46.40¢; No. 4, 45.80¢; No. 2 hard, 44.00¢; No. 3, 43.42¢.

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No. 2, 179, 431,000 lbs. of
 MINNEAPOLIS, Minn. Sept. 1.—Flour
 unchanged. Barley, 63,000 bu. \$3.17 1/2
 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 556, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 590, 591, 592, 593, 594, 595, 596, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 631, 632, 633, 634, 635, 636, 637, 638, 639, 640, 641, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654, 655, 656, 657, 658, 659, 660, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669, 670, 671, 672, 673, 674, 675, 676, 677, 678, 679, 680, 681, 682, 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694, 695, 696, 697, 698, 699, 700, 701, 702, 703, 704, 705, 706, 707, 708, 709, 710, 711, 712, 713, 714, 715, 716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 728, 729, 730, 731, 732, 733, 734, 735, 736, 737, 738, 739, 740, 741, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 747, 748, 749, 750, 751, 752, 753, 754, 755, 756, 757, 758, 759, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 768, 769, 770, 771, 772, 773, 774, 775, 776, 777, 778, 779, 780, 781, 782, 783, 784, 785, 786, 787, 788, 789, 790, 791, 792, 793, 794, 795, 796, 797, 798, 799, 800, 801, 802, 803, 804, 805, 806, 807, 808, 809, 810, 811, 812, 813, 814, 815, 816, 817, 818, 819, 820, 821, 822, 823, 824, 825, 826, 827, 828, 829, 830, 831, 832, 833, 834, 835, 836, 837, 838, 839, 840, 841, 842, 843, 844, 845, 846, 847, 848, 849, 850, 851, 852, 853, 854, 855, 856, 857, 858, 859, 860, 861, 862, 863, 864, 865, 866, 867, 868, 869, 870, 871, 872, 873, 874, 875, 876, 877, 878, 879, 880, 881, 882, 883, 884, 885, 886, 887, 888, 889, 890, 891, 892, 893, 894, 895, 896, 897, 898, 899, 900, 901, 902, 903, 904, 905, 906, 907, 908, 909, 910, 911, 912, 913, 914, 915, 916, 917, 918, 919, 920, 921,

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REGINALD RUTHERFORD, who plays male leads in Miral films, felt the comic urge. That is to say, he had a gnawing desire to distinguish himself. So he organized a little studio circle and by judicious care unrolled some really worth-while people. They met to uplift the drama. Poor old drama, no longer a thing of flesh and blood but something of mincing motions.

"What we need," said Mr. Rutherford at the first gathering, "is a playwright. You see, the scene act has no one to interpret it. I have so often felt in my work that if I only had some playwright to grasp the possibilities of my personality I could do much better. Where is the man who will write me a new 'Hernani,' in which the hero stakes his life on the blast of a horn and then keeps his pledge? Oh, Hugo, Hugo! you lived too soon. Were you but alive now, you might write me a scenario."

"One of the great burdens of being different is that so few appreciate your true inner self. I cannot help it if I am different. But personality is a wonderful thing, isn't it? I have noticed that persons with dark hair and eyes usually are passionate and strong-willed, while those of blond complexion are more agreeable. It impressed me as quite wonderful that their characters and their complexions should match. But I think it is a very nice plan. It enables one to discover another's personality so much easier."

"Why, we have a new director, and the moment I saw him I knew that he was a brutal person. His hair was long and black, his eyes real insolent and his whole manner annoying. We never have been able to agree. I lay all the blame on that poor, unfortunate man's personality. Now, if he were a blond his disposition might have been just fine. Don't you think that is a wonderful illustration?"

"But what are we going to do about the drama?" inquired one fashionable lady who had joined the studio circle. "I thought that was to be our subject."

"Black looks were cast her way by several other ladies, one of whom said: 'Oh, I think personalities are much more interesting. And you didn't tell us half enough, Mr. Rutherford. Besides, dark hair and eyes are love's own magic.'"

"Reggie smiled. He had both. The road to fame began famously."

Don't Ever Let Anyone Tell You This as a New One

HE couldn't face the music. "Run away, eh?" "Uh-huh." "What was wrong?" "The orchestra. He was leader."

He Got It.

PLEASE, mother can I have a piece of cake?" "No, Freddie." "Just a teeny little piece?" "No, Freddie. You cannot have any cake at all."

"Can I have a cookie then?" "No."

"Aw, please! Just one little cookie."

"No, Freddie. You have just had your luncheon, and you can't possibly be hungry so soon. Run away and play, and don't bother me any more."

"Don't you like to have people appreciate your cooking, mother?"

He Recognized It.

IN honor of a visit to his plant by the Governor of the state, an automobile manufacturer once had a complete car assembled in something like seven minutes.

Some weeks after the feat was heralded in the daily papers the telephone at the factory rang vigorously.

"Is it true that you assembled a car in seven minutes at your factory?" the voice asked.

"Yes," came the reply. "Why?"

"Oh, nothing," said the calm inquirer, "only I've got the car!"

If!

I DON'T see why mothers can't see the faults of their children," said Mrs. Smith to Mrs. Jones.

"Do you think you can?" asked Mrs. Jones.

"Why, I would in a minute if my children had any."

All Alike.

MY husband is the most unobservant man. He can talk to a woman for half an hour and never notice a thing she has on.

"Just like my husband. The less they have on the more he notices them."

Unfamiliar.

THEY say he's a Russian Prince traveling incognito.

"Traveling in what?"

"Incognito."

"That must be one of those foreign cars. I never heard of it before."

Didn't Mind Mama.

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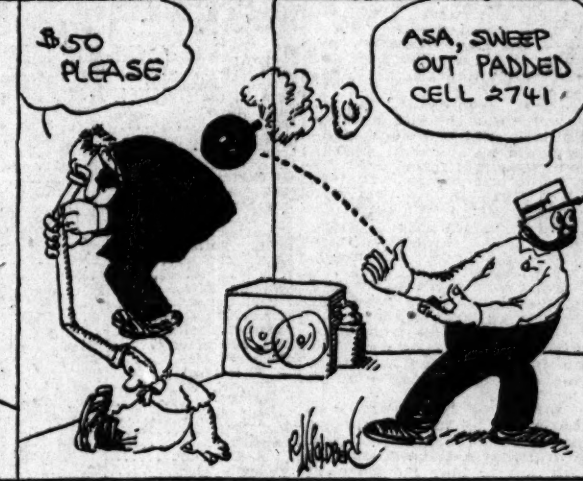
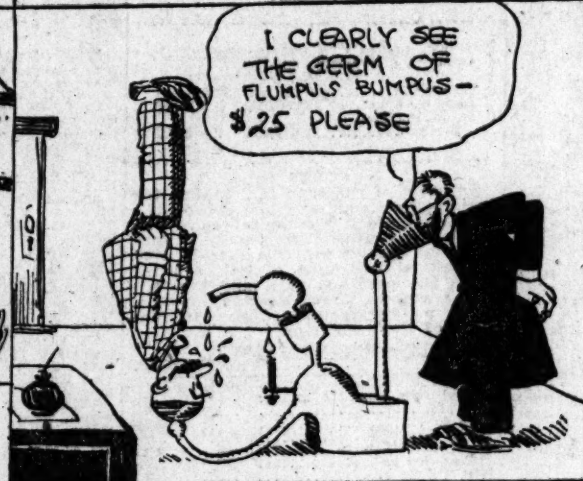
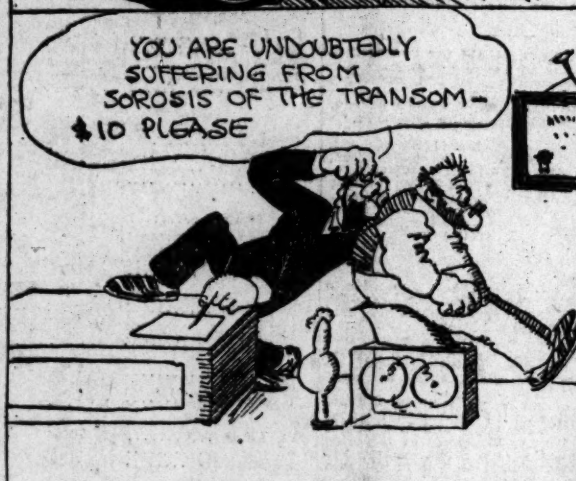
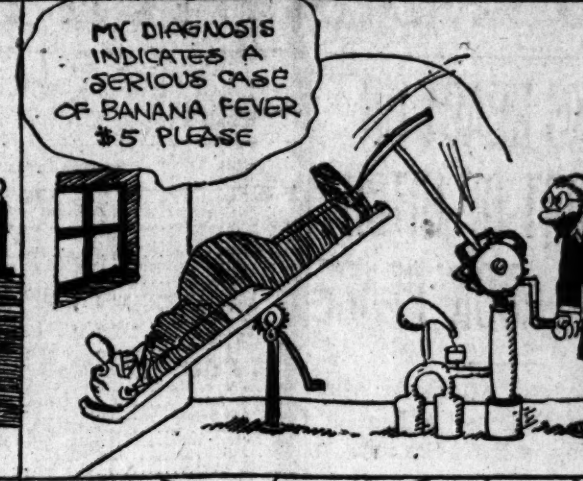
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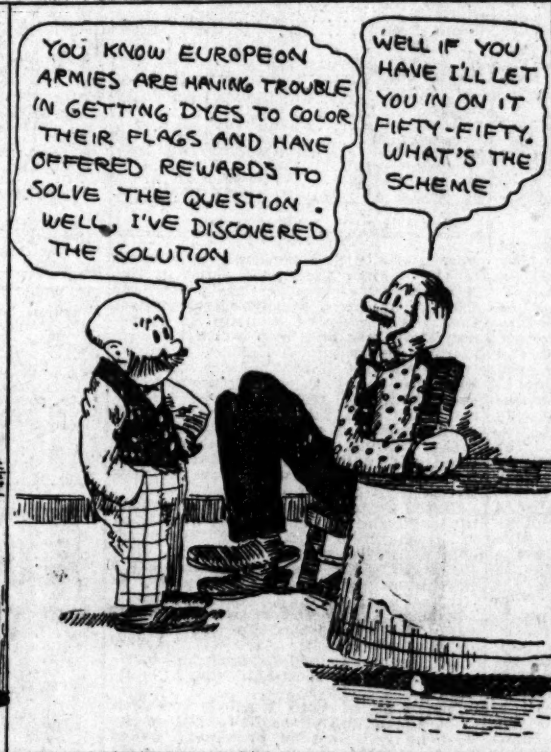
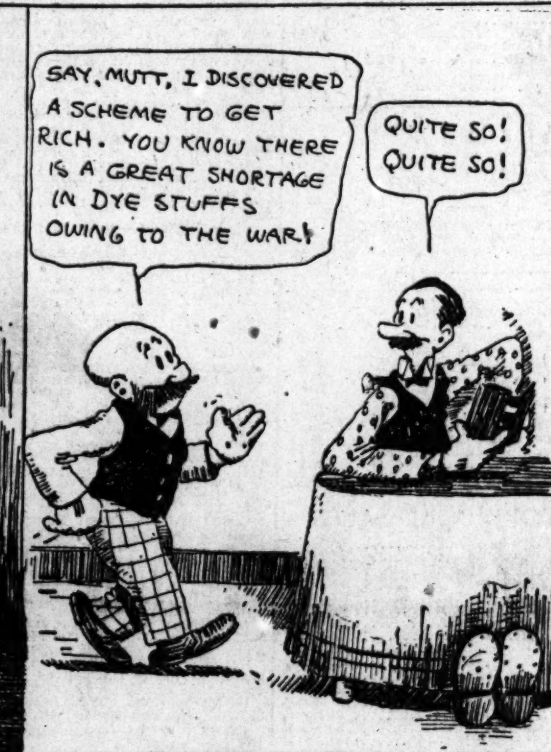
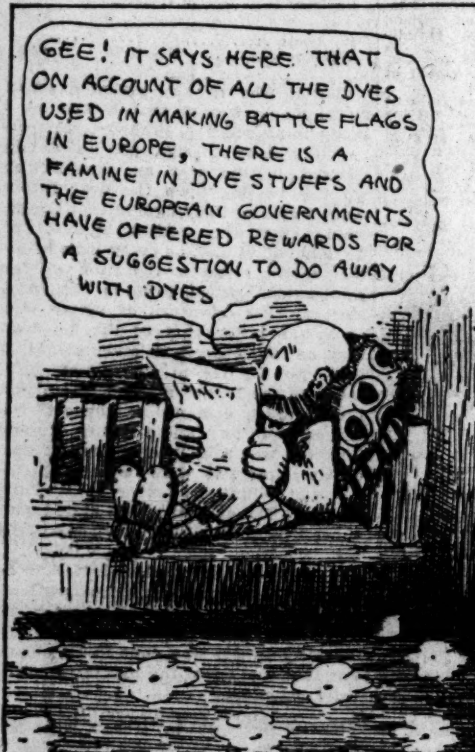
Mamma Lion! Naughty boy!

Didn't I tell you not to play with those porcupine children?

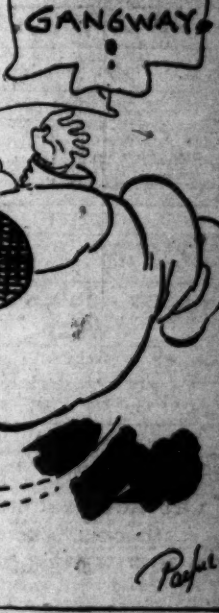
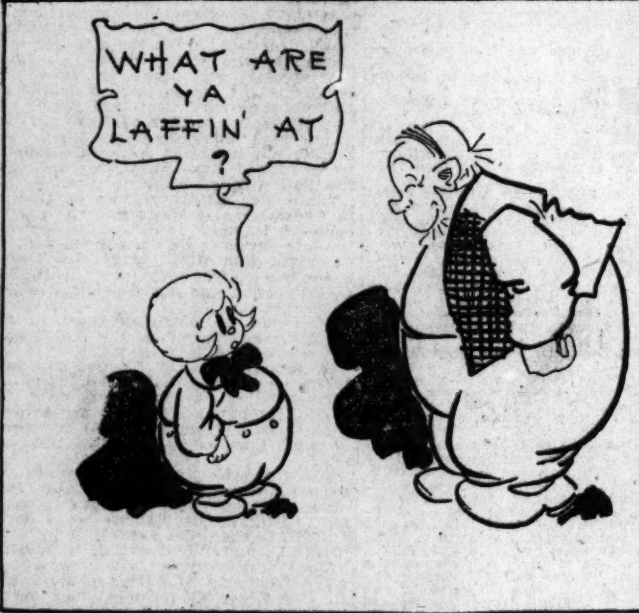


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S'MATTER POP?—AS A MATTER OF FACT UNCLE SI SAID 'NOTHIN'!—BY C. M. PAYNE.



A Farewell Song to a Straw Hat.

By RUDE DUDLEY.

MY straw hat is awful—a regular friend! The dust and the sun are the cause of its plight. The time has arrived for a change, yet I hate to have to abandon my friend to its fate. For as the sun cast his fierce rays on my head, it warmed them off and the heat Old Sol shed was wasted on me. Hence I'm grateful indeed and hate to admit that a change is the need. But summer is waning and custom decrees that straws must pass on with the bluebirds and bees. It's time for the derby, that quaint looking tile, and I have to bow to the edict of style. My dome isn't shaped for a derby at all. A stiff hat is always too big or too small. And all through the winter there sticks in my craw a longing for June with its heat and my straw. Good-by, dear old friend!

Cheap.
HOW did you make out with your garden this year?" "Fine. I raised so many vegetables that the exercise I got out of working in it cost me hardly anything at all."

Uncouth.
BILL BLUNT is one of those rough and ready chaps, isn't he?" "Yes, that describes him pretty well. He is rough in manners and dress, and he's ready to do anything except work."

Prosperity.
THAT mining stock I bought last week has gone up 3 points already. Do you think I'd better sell?" "Hang onto it by all means. The price of waste paper is going up all the time."

A Tip's a Tip.
Guest: Listen here, waiter. I want you to understand that I'm not giving you this tip because you deserve it or because I like your face, but just for the privilege of telling you that you are the worst waiter I ever saw.
Waiter: Yes, sir. Thank you, sir.

Respite.
POOOR Mr. Grimes next door is laid up with rheumatism.
"That so? I thought it was funny I hadn't heard that damned old player-plano of his for the last three or four days."

Just Once.
VAN SKINN is an awful tightwad. I don't suppose he has ever been known to give a cent to charity.
"Oh, yes he has. He gave a plugged nickel to a blind man once, but only after he had made perfectly sure that he couldn't pass it on any one else."

He Would.
I'm thinking seriously of starting a moving picture theater.
"Well, there's good money in that business."
"It isn't the money I'm after. But I would like to see my wife and children once in a while."

Spreading.
WHAT a remarkable sunset! I never saw such colors in my life.
"Yes, even nature is going in for this Futurist stuff."

What He Made.
YES, the boss said he was losing on the things I was making.
"And what are you making?" "Mistakes."

Quite Informal.
I UNDERSTAND that Mrs. Flubdub entertained some of her neighbors informally yesterday.
"Yes, she and her cook had a quarrel on the front porch."

\$2000 Worth.
HOW much of an operation did the doctor perform on you?" "Oh, he took out a couple of thousand dollars' worth of my insides."—Life.

How About Lunch?
CAN any girl tell me the three foods required to keep the body in health?" There was silence till one maiden held up her hand and replied: "Yer breakfast, yer dinner and yer supper."—San Francisco Argonaut.

War Paint and Feathers.
THE Indians don't use war paint and feathers any more.
"The men don't but I understand the lady Indians are becoming quite modern in their ideas as to cosmetics and millinery."

After all, the backyard has no sharks, no threats of strikes and no epidemics to be feared.—Baltimore American.

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